TWENTY PAGES

# Allegations on Sued by Australian "Big Cheese" To Be Probed

Mr. W. T. McArthur Will Be Summoned to Give Evidence Before Committee Regarding Beer Licence

### **Full Investigation** Asked by Member

Vancouver Lawyer of Mr. McSorley Testifies as to Franchise Application and Situation in That City

R. Elmore Meredith, Vancouver lawyer, gave testimony at the Public Accounts Committee probe into the beer licence altuation in Vancouver, at the committee sitting yesterday. He was solicitor for Mr. H. J. McSorley, whose failure to obtain a licence for the Paiace Hotel resulted in the charges made by Mr. McSorley and his partner, Mr. Jack Shannon, before the committee last week.

### Seattle Warrant Issued For B.C. Mining Operator

SEATTLE, Dec. 14.—Grand inrecent warrant was issued today gainst Harry Quickstad, president of he Barlie Gald Mines Co., 12d., a littleh Columbia corporation, that is said to have operated in selling stock extensively in Seattle.

The complaint was issued by Deputy Prosecutor R. Hammer on request of K. J. Koivula, skipper of the Arouche, one of the Alaska Steam-ship Company's vessels piving be-



### Tuesday, December 15 349th Day, 1925

THE WEATHER Victoria and Vicinity-Fresh to strong east and south winds, mild with rain.

Sun Rises: 7:59 o'clock. Sun Sets: 4:18 o'clock. High Tide; 1:01 p.m., 9.9 feet Low Tide: 9:22 p.m., 0.7 foot.

Deep Sea Shipping Africa Maru, O.S.K., from Yokohama, morning.

The News

Investigated by Public Accounts Committee Mr. W. T. McArthur, alleged "Big Cheese" of Vancouver Liberalism, will be called to give evillence case. Committee in beer licence case. Liberal members vote with Oppedition against Government's plan to rush business of House so as vanished, Imperial and Provign—Circat Britain expresses willingness to compromise with Turks if League award in Mosul dispute favors Bertish.

favors British.

eague asks Russia to aid in pre-paring for international economic conference

Sailor Union Leaders



# Seamen's Chiefs Sue Australian Prime Minister

Success of Appeal Against Deportation Order Fol-lowed by Damage Claims Against Government

Wives Go to Court, Too

SYDNEY, N.S.W., Dec. 14,—Tom Waish and Jacob Johannsen, predident and secretary of the Australian Seamen's Union, whose appeal against the government's order of deportation was upheld last week by the high court hate brought halfs against the government and Premier Bruce for (29.906 ass.)

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Edmonton Mayor
Gets Third Term

Mr. Kenneth A. Blatchford Given

Majority Over All Five
Opponents Together

EDMONTON, Dec. 14.—Kenneth A.
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### Dominion to Begin Drive for Settlers

Two Hundred Thousand Farmers Wanted Every Year, Says Hon. Charles Stewart

MINNIPEG, Dec. 14—"Plane are under way for the carrying out of a vigorous immigration policy covering the United States, the British Islea and European countries—and Canada can absorb 200,000 agrarian settilers per year," declared Jion. Charles Stewart, acting Minister of Immigration, interviewed here-today. This is laken to mean that the Dominion Cooperation, interviewed here-today. This is called the complete Immigration policy will not be made public until Parliament meets, intimated that railway and steamship companies would co-operate, both in the Old Country and on the continent, and that officials of the Immigration Department will interest themselves in securing United States settlers. The Government's aim, he said, was to settle inlisty per cent of the continent of with twenty-five per cent of the continent of the third with twenty-five per cent so settled in the days of heavy immigration.

### Lake Breaks Dam; Village Threatened

Pulp Plant Flooded When Quebec Barriers Give Way Before Pressure of Water

ROBERVAL, Que., Dec. 14.—The sudden rise of the Lac dea Commissirae over the week-end caused two dams to collapse, threatening with inundation the village of Val Jaibert in Northern Quebec. Timely closing of a lock shut off the water. One dam gave way over a distance of 50e feat and had broken down about thirty feet when the water was placed under control.

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LONDON. Ont. Dec. 14.—Fred Parker, postal clerk, was found guilty offered with the component of the component o

# League Asks

Move to Hasten Moscow's Return to Political Life of Europe Scen in Geneva Invitation

### Delegate Wanted On Economic Body

Soviet Assistance Desired in Preparing for Commercial Conference as Well as for Disarmament Conference

ENEVA. Dec. 14.—The League of Nations took another step to-day calculated to haster Russia's return to the political and economic life of Europe when at secret session the League Council decided to invite, a representative of Russia to sit on the special committee which is to pave the way for an international economic conference. This action, coming immediately after the despatch of an ingitations for a disarrament conference, has created extraordinary interest.

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Former Failures Ignored
It means that the Western powers
of Europe here are determined to
make another attempt to restore normal economic relations between Russla and the outside world and are, not
dismayed by the failure of the Grapa

crate Russia's entrance into the League.

Peace Stabilized

Officially handing over the documents to Rir Eric Drummond, the Secretary-Ceneral, Rir Austen Chamberiain asid the signatory powers had entered a new phase of international relations which would guarantee peace. He said these nations had tried to avoid anything which would in any way menace others and that this would help to stabilize the peace of the world.

### Film Magnate Raps U.S. as Intolerant

Christ Would Be Jailed If He Came on Earth Today, Says Mr. D. W. Griffith

### Girl Killed Self, Says Inquest Jury

Jancouver Stenographer Said to Have Been Temporarily Insane at Moment of Deed

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VANCOUVER. Dec. 14.—A coroner's jury which today investigated
the death of Jessie H. Rose, twentyyear-old alenographer, who last Friday was found dead at the offices of
Davidson. Wright. Lid., custome
brokers, returned a werdlet that Miss
Rose had died as the resuit of
a self-inflicted bullet wound whila temporarily insane.

Both of the partners in the business
whera Miss Rose worked gave testimony. That givan by William B.
Davidson brought in the name of A. C. Wright, when he said the girl told
dim during an interview in his office
that Wright was responsible for her
delicate condition.

Wright, in his evidence, swore that
his scialtions with the girl had always
been of a proper nature.
He testified that the girl was in a
very disturbed mental state the day
before the tragedy, as she had the
me, I will make you a sporting proposition: If you will shoot yourself, I
will shoot myself."

# Brewers' Deal Represents Mexico Russia to Aid With Att.-Gen. Trade Parley To Be Probed

# Recall Mr. Manson's

Select Committee

HARGES made by Mr. C. F.
Davie (Cowlehan-Newcastle) to
the effect that the AttorneyGeneral had given faine and mieleading answers to questions asked respecting the test of better than the
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and the Amajamated Brewers
agency will be lavestigated by the
Public Accounts Committee. Mr.
Davie asked for a select committee to
go into the question, but an amend,
ment offered by Premier Oliver referring the subject to the Public Accounts Committee carried after considerable debate in the Legislature
last night.

or one liquor commissioner to the ef-fect that a beer vendor applying for beer for his licensed parlor must take the brands of beverage that the Amalganated Brewers' Agency wished to send. The Attorney-General said that the brands asked for were sup-piled.

No Select Committee

gation into other avenues.

No select Committee

"The Public Accounts Committee

as acceeded a large programme of
work before it." Mr. bavie answered
in defence of his efforts to secure a
select committee. 'The investigation

It is now carrying on may last for
days. We are told that the House is
endesworing to finish its business by
the end of the present week, and, if
that is the case, there will be no possibility of dealing with the matters
set forth in my resolution uniese a
select committee la formed. If the
committee I ask for fia authorized tonight its members can get under way
Tuesday morning."

Attorney-General Manson supportde Fremler Oliver's contenion that
the investigation should be carried on
by the Tubblic Accounts Committee.
He reviewed briefly the negotiations
which had been carried on with the
brewing interests of the Province in
order to show why prices had been
raised.

Mr. Manson's Version

Public Accounts Committee Will Review Famous Retroactive Gift to Beer Ring Before 1924 Election

# Admission to Press

Premier Resists Mr. Davie's Attempt to Bring Govern-ment's Beer Record Before



GEN. LUIS MEDINA BARRON

# Sportsmen Seek Action Stayed On Game Bill

Victoria Fish and Game Body Against New Mea-sure—Government Policy Scored

### New System Is Suggested

### Humorist's Wife Succumbs to Cancer

Mrs. Stephen Leacock Makes Futile Trip to Liverpool to Try New Cure

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 14.—Mrs. Beatrix Leacock, wife of Dr. Stephen Butler Leacock, nofed Canadian humorist
and writer, and head of the department of political economy at McGlii
University, Montreal, died in a nurhome here today. Her husband

# Liberal Members Disapprove Government's Rushing Tactics

"Stampede" Methods Adopted to Avoid Sitting After Christmas Against Best Interests of Province, Mr. R. H. Pooley, Opposition Leader, Tells Legislature

Rose had died as the result of a self-inflicted bullet wound whila temporarily lineane.

Two unlooked for incidents feature of the division yesterday afternoon in the Legislature on the self of the partners in the business where Miss Rose worked gave testion in the Legislature on the self to the division yesterday afternoon. In the Legislature on the self to the s

# ents Mexico At Federal Capital Great Britain Ready To Reach Compromise With Turks on Mosul

If League Decides in Favor of British Stand, London Will Be Willing to Concede Turkey Parts of Territory for Sake of Peaceful Relations, Colonial Secretary Says-Eager to Give Good Terms

### Geneva Decision Favoring Britain **Expected If Mediation Efforts Fail**

ENEVA, Dec. 14.—Making a definite announcement as to Great Britain's intentions concerning Mosul in case the League council's decision should prove favorable to the British thesis, L. C. M. Amery, Secretary for the Colonies, in a statement to-The Associated Press tonight declared that the British Government would be only too willing to discuss with Turkey any minor adjustments of the arrangements. This would be, he said, with the idea of making the situation mutually more satisfactory and conducive to the establishment of permanent good relations.

The British spokesman told British press correspondents tonight that Great Britain was ready to accept the so-called Brussels line if the council so decided.

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This line virtually gives Mosul in its entirety to Great Britain as mandatory, leaving a narrow strip in the north to Turkey.

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"Great Britain cannot compromise on the question of principle, and is eager to give the best terms possible to Turkey, though not before the issue of right is settled by the council. In the meantime there is no basis of negotiations, because the two viewpoints are so far apart that discussions with Turkey can begin only after the League's

decision."
It is expected that announcement of this decision will be made Wednesday. If mediation fails, League circles predict a decision favorable to Great Britain.

The League council held another secret session tonight devoted to Mosul. M. Paul Boncour, of France, after the meeting remarked enigmatically: "All is hopeful."

### Conservative Leader Will Visit Manitoba

WINNIPEG. Dec. 14.—With the special object of thanking the electors of Portage le Prairie constituency for electing him to the Pederal House at the recent elections. Right Hon. Arithur Meighen will pay a visit to Manitoba this week.

It is to arrive Wednasday and will be welcomed at various functions in community centres in the constituency. Mr. Meighen will speak at Brandon Priday evening.

### City Servants Get More Pay

Council Orders Salary. Increases, Averaging Ten Per Cent, for Staff at City Hall

vinced that the increases are justified. The salaries here, even after the increase, are still lower than those obtaining in cities where the municipal civil service is heavily overstaffed."

# Dr. Koch Asked to Form

New German Ministry

Toronto Diamond Rings Stolen

TORONTO, Dec. 14.—Valuable diarm and rings of a total value of \$19,000
were staten from the showrooms
of the city Baturday night, it became
known today, thieves making their
escape while customers filled the
t store. The thief picked two locks on
y a door leading to a small room whera
yaluable gems were exhibited

# Legion to Take Service Bureau Over at Ottawa

New Organization Assumes Control as Soon as Unity Merger Is Completed, Says Sir Percy Lake

VANCOUVER, Dec. 14.—Returned: soldiers in British Columbia are up in arms to prevent the closing of the veterans adjustment service bursh waintained at Ottawa by the Great War Veterans.

Waiter Drinnan, provincial secretary of the G.W.V.A., said today that Lieut-Gen. Bir Percy Lake has been asked to use his influence to have the bureau maintained until the merger of the returned men has been completed in the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League.

Lieut. Gen. Sir Percy Lake, recently elected president of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League, and last night that it was the intention of the organization of which he is the head to take over the veterans' hureau at Ottawa as son at the unity merger is completed.

"Presumably General Turner, V.C., Dominion G.W.V.A. president, is taking steps to make certain iffal as

### Christian Leader's Soldiers Defeated

Marshal Feng Driven Back on Two Fronts by General Li,

Chihli Governor

### **Looting Becomes General** As Chang Troops Retreat

TOKIO, Dec. 15.—Official advices from Mukden, capital of Manchuria, report that the troops of Marshall Chang Tao Lin, Manchurian dictator, are retreating from Singmisfu and Mukden and that looling is general Tre Japanese residents are panic-stricken.

etricken. It is understood that the war office is planning a hurried replacement of troops if the situation becomes more serious, but that the additional ireotom the normal quota which at present is the normal quota which at present is

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white calf, in several styles; a very high quality short, finest creftiamanship; regular \$12. \$6.90. As these won't last long at this price, we advise seeing them at the carliest moment.

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### Students' Strike Ejects Trustees

Resignations Follow Trouble in Ontario School — Elections Show Public Opinion

SMITH'S FALLS, Ont., Dec. 14.—A belaited aftermath of the studenth's trike in the Collegiate Institute here last Spring was seen in the resignation of members of the Board of Education. The chalman, Dr. E. H.

Give photographs for sentiment's

For Roof Work H. R. BROWN

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Wickware, T. E. Foster and William Sutherland, have tendered their res-ignations to take effect immediately. These men were elected to the Board a year ago and their terms would not have expired until next Decem-ber.

In their resignation letter, made, public today, they say that as the four cendidates elected to the Board last Monday were all members of the clistens' committee, which strenuously opposed the actions of the Board at the time of the atrike, it is proven conclustely that the policy of the present Board is not approved by the majority of the electors, and that they therefore consider it their duty to resign.

### Indian's Charred Bones , Found in Burnt Cabin

LILLOPET. B.C., Dec. 14—The cherred-remains of Johnny Dick, Indian, were discovered by Provincial police Naturday evening among the debris of the Indian's cabin on the abris of the Fraser River, about five miles from here. Fire had consumed the small building. There were no spectators to the tragedy and it is assumed the Indian was overcome by the amoke while sleeping and was burned to death. At an inquest held

# KIRKHAM'S GROCERTERIA

Nabob Brand New Raisins, see 15-oz. pkts. Today, 2 for	ded or seedless, 25c
Finest Seedless Raisins, 2 lbs. 25¢ Beckist Honey, 5-lb. tin 95¢	New Cleaned Currants, 2 lhs
California State Brand Aspara	gus, reg. 25c tin 18¢
Empress Orange Marmalade, 2-lb. tin	Blue Ribbon Tea, lb. 65¢ Presh-Milled Rolled Oats, lb. 4¢
New Turkey Figs, for eating of	or cooking, 2 lbs254
FRESH MEA Brinket Beef and Pot Rants, lb. 10¢ and 8¢	AT SPECIALS   Minced Beef,  b. 10e Round Steaks, 2  bs. 35e

### More Aid Given To British Who Come to Canada

Dominion Reaches Improved Agreement With Old Country in Attempt to In-crease Immigration

### Details Are Given Out

London, Dec. 14.—The new overseas settlement agreement between Canada and Britain has been signed and will she published later in the week, according to information obtained by the Canadian Frees.

While the details of the new immigration agreement are being withheld pression of the control of the main feature thereof will disclose the fact that a substantial reduction has been made in the amount of money which an approved emigrant from Britain to Canada will have to put up under the assisted passage scheme. The agreement involves larger payments by the two governments. The emigrants themselves will furnish approximately (3 10s for passage to Halifax, 16 to Winnippes, 17 to Edinorm and 18 Taylor of the British Covernment is to provide the British Covernment is to provide the British Covernment is to provide the greater set.

### Liberals Disapprove Rushing Tactics

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and properly in the time at the disposal of the House before Christman. The House could give necessary permission for the standing and select committees which had not concluded their sittings, to continue.

Mr. Charles Woodward, senior member for Vancouver, said that he took the same stand as the leader of the Opposition. He was opposed to any hurry that might tend towards the passing of ill-considered legislation. The Government might be fully conversant with the legislation that was brought down from time to time before it reached the members, but it often required considerable study to understand it—and some of it was most difficult to grasp in haste. The consideration of the policy of the P.G.E., he said, should take at least two or three weeks, and he was not opposed to coming back after Christmas in order that this matter could be properly considered.

Also Ready to Return

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Mr. Perry suid he probably curie
he longest distance to attend the
seasion, and he feit as did the senior
nember for Vancouver, that the
lutles of the members were such that
hey should come back after the
loididays in order to give proper conideration to the matters of legislaion that otherwise would be rushed
hrough.

the convenience of members who resided out of town, rather than for the
convenience of the Government.

Major R. J. Burde declared that the
resolution gave the privilege of holding morning sessions. It was all right
for members like the senior member
for Vancouver and Victoria representatives to favor longer sessions, for
they could attend to their business
affairs over the week-ends, bull for
those who had come greater distances
it was unfeir to bring then back affer
Christmas if the work could be done
before that time by holding morning
messions.



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Five Americans On Committee Board May Appoint To Check Export

Minister of Lands Says Logging and Manufacturing Interests Select Nonresidents for Advisory Body

### Conservatives Are Critical

under a British Act.

The Miniater They are nominated by the logging industry and the manufacturers.

Mr. Twigg: They were appointed

the manufacturers.

Mr. Twiger They were appointed under the seem of the Government, and the Government passed the Act.

The Minister There is no status.

The Minister There is no status provides the point ment. The status provides the provided that the Consideration of the amending Motor cate the conditions under which time been may be exported. As a matter of business, in order that we should have full knowledge, we have called in representatives of the industry. They are selected by the industry, and it is not an official body."

American Capital

Mr. Twiger. "You admit you have 'called them in." I submit that no Americans should be of a Canadian board."

The Minister: "I want you to be that persons they let a car to have a civilyer lenence and sign a record giving their name and address. That past of the clause providing that the firm shall be held liable for lamped or loss sustained by reason of letting their name and address. That part of the clause providing that the firm shall be held liable for lamped or loss sustained by reason of letting their name and address. That part of the clause providing that the firm shall be held liable for lamped or loss sustained by reason of letting their care had, he said, been withdrawn.

Further ebjections we of section fifteen, to the effect that fines should be paid to consolidated revenue when collected by Provincial Police. The Atterney-General accomplished provinced the provincial provinced the provincial provinced the section fitters the consolidated provinced the provincial p

# A Traffic Officer

Appointment next year of a traffic officer was forecasted yesterday when the Pelice Commission accepted the schedule of duties for such an official presented by Commissioner Stans-land.

Commissioner Staneland's plan for the creation of a traffic officer would Commenced to traffic officer would place the responsibility for the direction and control of traffic in the city in the hands of that official. The traffic officer would devote his entire time to traffic prohlems. He would be aliuation throughout the

# **Motor Vehicles** Act Amended

"Drive Yourself" Firms Will Have More Control Over

Ghost Has Bobbed Hair LONDON, Dec. 14.—Rumors that a coebrated lady ghost has reappeared, this time with bobbed hair, are attracting wide attention in the south of England. The famous apparition pre-aumably has appeared for more than two centuries to succeeding genera-

De as Co.

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On Straw Packing Cargo Shipments From Japan to

Escape Fumigation Here If Proved Non-Contagious

VANCOUVER, Dec. 14.—Partial suspension of the embargo on the importation from Japan of goods packed in hay or atraw, unless such shipments were fumigated by Canadian officialis, has been made by the Department of Articulture. Ottawa, according to word received here by Dr. W. H. McKensle, of the Department of Animal Husbandry.

New regulations provide that shipments accompanied by a certificate from the Japanese Oovernment veitumigation, sold be admitted without tumigation.

The embargo was inaugurated July 14. following the receipt of reports that contagious pleuro-pneumonia was prevaient among Japanese livestock.

# History of **Balloting Told** In Research

British Columbia Has Had Ballot System in Elections for Fifty-Three Years— Australians Were Leaders

Ballot Box Canadian

# RUN DOWN MEN **NERVOUS MEN**

Don't Miss This

# The Session

The Seventh Week Opens—In a Suitable Almosphere — Of Disquieting Uncertainty—About When It Will All BeOver—Nothing Contentious!—Oh. No. Except Sumas, and Beer, and the P.G.E.—And a Few Little Trifles of That Sort—But the Premier and Mr. Hinchlifte Are Happy—About Their New Absentee Ballot—Which Nobody Else Will Ever Understand

VANCOUVER. Dec. 14.—Partial suspension of the embargo on the importation from Japan of goods good on the importation from Japan of goods good on't know that Cod Liver Extract partment of Agriculture. Ottawa, according to word received here by Dr. W. H. McKensle, of the Department, of Animal Husbandry.

New regulations provide that shipments accompanied by a certificate from the Japanese Government we regulations provide that shipments accompanied by a certificate from the Japanese Government with the control of the Japanese Government with the control of the Japanese Government with the control of the Japanese Government with the provided that shipments accompanied by a certificate from the Japanese Government we result to the control of the Japanese Government with the first that contaging the receipt of reports that contaging and have a complication plant of the Japanese Government was prevalent among Japanese Ilvestock.

Logger Falls to Death VANCOUVER. Dec. 14.—While working on a pile driver at a logging camp at Knox Ray. Thurlow leads of the Japanese Government was instantly killed when his head struck a log. The body was brought to Vancouver today for burla.

Japanese The Body was brought to Vancouver today for burla.



### Pacific Is Future Highway of World

Mr. Justice M. A. Macdonald, of B.C., Commences Educative Campaign in Saint John

leaven was working upward, and it would not be long before the Chinese institutions were established on a sound basis.

Japan, he said, was the Great Britain of the East, and since her portain had been opened to the rest of the world in 1853, that country had gone ahead very rapidly.

The natural desire of all races was



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p preserve themselves, and the Mon-olian and Caucasism should both be reserved. A fusion of the two, au ording to anthropologists, would offer of these races.

On Way to Orient
Chillisting had moved in the course

On Way to Orient
Civilization had moved in the course
of time from Asia Minor, to Greece,
to Rome, and from thence to the continent of Eurone, to America, and it
was now making its way to the Orient.
The white race had been the bulwark
of all that was best in civilization,
and it must be maintained if civiliza-

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### VICTORIA'S ART GALLERY

The lack of public interest in the art gallery maintained by the Arts and Crafts Society at the Crystal Garden is not a pleasing reflection on the attitude of Victorians towards the handicraft of local artists and towards treasures of some value that have been assembled at this exhibition. The attendance daily is very slim, sometimes almost a non-existent quantity. Durling the years past there have been spasmodic efforts to get an art gallery for this community, the original conception being that it would be free to the public and thus prove an educational feature of the community's life. Those efforts were prove an educational feature of the community's life. Those efforts were never pursued to their conclusion un-til the construction of the Crystal Garden. Now there is an art gallery, but the public are not frequenting it, so that it may be assumed some change in the present arrangement is desirable.

It is not the fault of the art gallery It is not the fault of the art gallery that it has not caught the public faucy. It is an exhibition of very much more than ordinary interest. It is a feature that should appeal to all who love art and one, too, that should attract the attention of the educational authorities to the extent that the 'achool children should be given opportunities of seeing the different collections from time to time. The stumbling block appears to be the price of admission. It would be an 'excellent thing if some arrangement could be made to have such a gallery could be made to have such a gallery open free to the public at all times Since, however, money is needed for ita upkeep it would be necessary, it entrance is to be free, that the muni-

their consideration.

Vancouver is considering a proposal for bringing into existence an art galtery in that community and one statement build in connection with it is that a sum of \$100,000 is promised to provide a building. Victoria has the accommodation provided by the generosity of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The pictures and other works of art are assembled through the generosity and enthusiasm of local people, and, in the course of time, no cloud, through public donations of pautings, there will be a permanent nucleus available. The only money that is required is that necessary for maintenance, for the appointment of a curator and occasional assistance and small incidental expenses. Is it worth while for the city to Jave an art gallery? We think it is, but public interest will have to be quickened if those citizens who have given their time and efforts to the undertaking may be expected to continue to shoulder the burden without popular support. Vancouver is considering a proposi

wave that has been gathering strength in the United States. He says the annual toll of murder now exceeds 11,000. It is far in excess of any other country, although is this com-parison Russia is excepted because no parison Russia is excepted because no official statistics are available from that land. The Japanese murder rate is about one-tenth of that of the United States. The murder wave in the United States has risen steadily under the operation of Prohibition in that country though it is impossible to say if Prohibition has anything to do with it.

do with it.

Dr. Hoffman points out that in 1922
the homicidal death rate of the United
States was 8.4 per 100,000 of the pupulation. The rate between 1910 and 1920 increased from 5.9 to 7.9. In England and Walea the homicidal death rate was 0.5 per 100,000 for 1922 and 0.6 per 100,000 for 1924 for every death by homiede in England and Wales there are about 16 such along the leading in the United States. In Scotland in 1923 there were only 11 deaths from homicides, or at the rate of 1.6. It is admitted by Dr. Hoffman that Canada makes a most favorable showing in this respect as compared with the United States, hut then the rate in Ontario is three times as murderous as in England and Wales.

Dr. Hoffman admits that no one-seems to have any partical suggestions as to how the murder rate in the United States should be shated. Public opinion has not yet been educated to the point where it has ceased to experience waves of hysteria occay.

What is known as the "ginger group" of the Progressives in the House of Commons announces that it could not under any circumstances support the Conservative Party. In the same breath it is stated on its the bringing into effect of lass which will make murder by lethal weapons less easy. The United States suffers ulation. The rate between 1910 and 1920 increased from 5.9 to 7.9. In

from a murder rate so heavy partly because it is a melting pot of nations. On that very account its laws govern-ing the possession of lethal weapons ought to be far more severe than they re. It would seem, too, to the out-sider, that the exercise of the law bught to be above influence from the exhibition of public sympathy for those convicted of capital crimes, and those convicted of capital crimes, and ought to be based alolely on the exercise of justice. Until these and other preventive measures are taken the murder record will be maintained and it is not a record that adds to the social or judicial prestige of the United States.

### JUSTICE AND PARTY

Further development of the argu-ment that an Atlorney-General should not be included in a Cabinet has been furnished by Sir R. W. Hamilton one of the British Members of Par-Jurnished by Sir R. W. Islammon, one of the British Members of Parliament. Such inclusion, he holds, places the Attorney-General in an impossible position, "when he has to hear the collective responsibility of at the same time Is expected to advise the Government as a lawyer from the purely legal point of view as though he bore no such responsibility." The danger, as Sir Hamilton says, is an ohvious one for it means that either the Government may not obtain the most impartial opinion of the law to which it is entitled, or that the individual citizen may suffer through the administration of justice being influenced by policy. It is wholly apparent that a vital necessity exists in keeping the administration of justice free from even the suspicion of political influence. That can never be done while the Attorney-General is a memwhile the Attorney-General is a mem while the Attorney-General is a member of a party cabinet. His actions are controlled sometimes for political reasons. He feels himself in the dual position of being responsible at one and the same time to a party cabinet and to the law as it exists on the statute books.

It is an anomalous position as part; politica are conducted, for Instance, in this Province. It has, as has been instanced here so decisively, opened up the floodgates of suspicion, lent color to the belief that justice does not flow freely from the fountain head, and confused and made indistinguishable the actions of the first law officer as such and as a Minister of the Crown with a seat in a party cabinet. The effects of an administration of an Attorney-General with a seat in the Cabinet are apparent to n this Province. It has, as has been seat in the Cabinet are apparent t he people of this Province. The hole of that office should be impartia er of that office should be impartial, judicial, unawayed by any popular emotion, and far removed from all the storms of political controversy. Our Attorney-General does not seek to hide the fact that he is a political partisan first, last and all the times—and that is where the danger lies and wherein the danger has been demonstrated.

The viewpoint that the submarine should be abolished as a weapon of warfare appears to find little support in the United States. The recent loss of the British M-I with over sixty lives has raised the question anew and many people and organizations, among others Lloyds and Lord Lee, a former First Lord of the Admiralty, lawe come out emphatically for the aboliome out emphatically for the abo on of the submarine. tion of the submarine. Britains at-tinude on the subject has been appar-ent for several years. It was brought up at the Washington Conference which decided upon the Naval Lim-itations Treaty. The formal and spe-

the personnel, provided that the other Powers would do the same.

There was no agreement reached at Washington in this particular and the British Delegation had to be content with inserting in the Conference minutes—"The British Empire Delegation desires formally to place on record its opinion that the use of submarines, whilst of small value for defensive purposes, leads inevitably to acta which are inconsistent with the laws of war and the dictates of humanity, and the Delegation desires that united action should be taken by all nations to forbid their maintenance, construction, or employment."

# Note and Comment

A Constant Reader wants to k whether we have been quaffing too freely of the cup containing beer brewed according to specification prepared by the British Columbia Government, drinking too much of the stuff for which Scotland is famous or

stuff for which Scotland is famous or infamous, or whether we are conducting a column of cross word puzzles. Two specimens of our finished or mutilated work are submitted as a basis for Constant Reader's inquiry.

We have found out by experience that for the sake of our peace of nind it is just as well after we have written anything, delivered it into the liands of the printers, and read the proof thereof, to forget all about that written something. To read that written something. To read that written some thereof, to lorger an about man written something. To read that written something as it appears in the paper often produces disquietede of spirit and anguish of mind. But we have read the specimens submitted by Constant Reader, and our conviction is that we are not conducting a column of cross-word puzzles but a column of crossed ine conundrums. The ways of the precetor who follows the path of the rinter and the proofreader are devious

As we look up to the foreman with awe based upon the consequences of long experience, as every printer in The Colonist is our very good friend, as we have the deepest reverence for He is responsible for the fall Man has attempted to justify all his meannesses, his misdemeanors and his rimes ever since the fall by asserting

legal pains and penalties. Then on top of that we are told on authority even more impressive than the autho-rity of a Minister that the beer the people are officially authorized to drink is not fit to drink.

As another example of the com-plexity of modern conditions, consider the case of the ballot, the ballot ab-sentee and the ballot on the spot. When the principle of responsible gov-ernment by the duly and legally elected representatives of the people was first brought lint force the voter simply went to the polling place and verbally designated the candidate he favored. That system was too he favored. That system was too simple to last. There were corrupt politicians in the old days, and votes were openly bought and sold.

To put an end to corruption and co pared and acrutinized by appointed officials. The names of none but properly qualified electors are supposed to be enrolled upon those lists Occasionally those sacred lists are aystematically stuffed with fictitious

voter from marking his ballot in the wrong way and to prevent the hallot switcher and manipulator from stuffing the ballot box with bogus ballots our legislators have heen gravely discussing the merits of certain kinds of lead pencils or pens as implements for marking ballots. One would think that any kind of a mark made upon the hallot by any kind of an implement in such a way as to unmistakably indicate the choice of the voter would be a simple way of settling a matter that is of no particular consequence to any mind except the prefound mind of a lawmaker. Our system of voting has become cumbrous, complex and costly. It

should be discarded and some simpler method of ascertaining the will of the people adopted.

### Notable Anniversaries

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### Elections Act Believed To Be "Rogueproof"

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How long Sadler retained the property is not / known, but from letter of James Frazer, physician to Charles II written to Sir Rober Southwell in 1637 the popularity of Sadler's establishment had departed in favor of Tunbridge and Bath.

An Inhuman Heling

Evidently the well was again towared, as in 1697 an advertisement sates that the reopening, ofter having been observed or some years and control of some years later. The pears later a man named tiles was the proprietor of the music tune. ing been ourself and the place on June 21 of year. Two years later a man n Miles was the proprietor of the house, and presumably of the also. On May 23, 1699, an "enterment" was announced, when an interface monater," for the six

### **British Food Council** To Probe Wheat Price

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LONDON, Dec. 14.—The Government food council, which was appointed a few months ago on the recommendation of the Royal Commission that inquired into food prices in Retiain, to keep watch over retail prices, will open an inquiry tomorrow in the matter of the recent high prices of wheat and bread.

One of the principal trade journals here ascribed the main cause of the failure of Russia to furnish the expected wheat supplies. The curtailment of Russian exporte probably in seriously embarrassian firms who have had to cover themselves by purchasing Canadian grain at higher figures, the journal says.

The Daily Mail persistently accuses The Daily Mail persistently accused the world concerning Russia wheat production concerning Russias wheat production of concerning Russias wheat production.

### Lad Burned to Death

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Reveral inquiries were received from seekers after industrial openings, included among these was one

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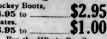
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# Mr. Manson's Statements False, He Says

Mr. C. F. Davie, Cowichan Newcastle, Declares Public Is Misled in Regard to the Beer Situation in Province

### Member Presses For Investigation

Government, He Avers, Is Controlling Hands of Mr. Davidson, Liquor Board Commissioner

one to dovernment industriations alone and on Government orders.

After a sharp attack on the Attorney-General, based on the replies the Hon. Mr. Manson had given to questions put on the Order Paper by him for an investigation. This was met by an amendment by the Premier, which provides for the question raised to be investigated by the Public Accounts Committee. On this proposal, the Premier, without addressing himself to the question, secured the adjournment of the House. The effect of the Premier's proposal, in agreed to by the House, will be that the matter will be shelved in all probability, in view of the prospective early rising of the Legislature.

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Incorrect Replies Alleged

Mr. Davie went over in detail seventeen questions he had addressed to the Attorney-General, and the answers given him on the Business Paper. He held, in general, that the questions were not answered; rather were they evaded, he said, in order that the Government might protect the monopoly they had created in the purchase of beer.

For instance, the reply to his questions to whether the Government had an attrangement with the Amalgamated Brewers' Agency, the reply of the Attorney-General was: "Phe Amalgamated Brewers distribute beer pursuant to instructions of the Liquor Board."

pursuant to instructions of the Liquor Board."
He mid he had three declarations, having the force of oaths, to the effect that the answers were not correct. "Is there an agreement, or is there not; why does not the Attorney-General answer the question straight out?" asked Mr. Davie, as he proceeded to deal with the price of beer, according to the Attorney-General's answers, was \$16.50 per ten dozen pints, including sales tax of five per cent, delivered at Victoria. Vancouver and other centres, fixed on February 28, 1924, and brought into effect next desy.

Lower Offers Put In

are being inlisted," continued Mr. Davie. "They are entitled to have an investigation."

Mr. Davie went on to say that he was aware that there had been offers from breveiles in the Province to supply been to the Government. He and the supply been any offer to supply been and been any offer to supply the supply of the supply

question, apparently. "This brewery has been in business for thirty-five year. The reason they are not in a possible to the covernment refuses to purchas the Government refuses to purchas the Government, nothwithstanding that. If they accepted the offer of the Nanalmo Brewerles, Ltd., there would be awayed to the Province about \$100.0007. "The Government undoubtedly learned to the Commissioner, despite the assurance chat the Attorney-General gave us last year that he was to have a free hand. If he had a free hand, he will be a free hand, he will be a free hand, he will be the corp. I submit that the province of the propose of the province of the province of the proper that these monopolities are being comitined against the best interests of the people. If have here a comparison of the costs of manufacture of beer, but I do not propose to take up more time of the House, because it is a submit of the costs of manufacture of beer, but I do not propose to take up more time of the costs of manufacture of beer, but I do not propose to take up more time of the costs of manufacture of beer, but I do not propose to take up more time of the costs of manufacture of beer.

### City Proposes to Keep Possession Of Elk Lake Land

matter for consideration of the select committee I propose. If I did. I would be able to prove that the costs of ingredients would not warrant the price the Government is paying.

Questions Evaded. He Says
"It is quite opparent, as far as I em concerned, and with the material I have at my disposal—and I say it advisedly—that the Government, at the direction of the Attorney-General, have submitted, and has permitted false and improper repiles to be made. When a member of the House is put into the position of having false information given him, then I say this House, regardless of partisantals, should grant a select committee the member for Nicena, Dr. Williams, and the control of the Cont

RICHARDS—Funeral service for the late Mr. Francis Richarda will be held at the residence, 1000 Craig-darroch Road, this afternoon at 2:30. The body will be laid to rest in family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

Bay Cemetery.

ESLER—The funeral of the late Mr. James Esler took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, where service was conducted by the Rev. A. E. de L. Nunns. There was a large attendion from the fire department, incharge of Deputy-Chief Munroe, also members of the police department were present, and many beautiful floral designs covered the casket and hearse. The hymns aung were "Jesus, Lover of My Soul" and "Lead, Kindhy Light." The following gentleme ected as pailbearers: Messra. F. Stuart, D. Adams. H. M. Turner, N. McSween, J. Wallace and R. Chisholm. Interment was made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

MADDEN—The funeral of the late Mrs. Jane Madden, who passed away openember 5, took place yesterday openember 5, took place yesterday overling. Relatives and many friends were in attendance, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral. Chapel at 8.50 ofelock. Ten minutes later mass was celebrated at 84. Andrewis Cathedral by Rov. Father Deeley, and the services were conducted at the cemetery by Rev. Father J. Silver. The pall-bearers were Messrs, J. Quinn, J. McGlinnis, E. McDonaid and J. A. McKinnon.

Chinese cemetery.

DEAR—The death occurred on December 12 at the Royal Jubilee Hospital of Claud Dear, aged thirty-eight years. He war born in Nottingham. England, and had been a resident of this city for the past thirteen years. The late Mr. Dear is survived by his widow, two sons, residing at 1488 Finlayson Street, also relatives in England. The funeral will lake place tomorrow at 2 o'clock from the Senda Puneral Chapel, under the auspices of the Ancient Order of Foresters.

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KEMSLET — There passed away Bunday evening at the family residence, 1747 First Street, Charless Clyde Kimsley, aged thirty-one years a native of England and a resident of this city for the last two and a hair years. Deceased, who formerly lived at Leithbridge, Alberta, is surson, also his wide and a sort, also his wide and a brother and sister in Leithbridge. The body is resting at the Thomsson Funeral Home, 1825 Quadra Street, from where the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at cold. A. A. of St. Juhn's Church, will conduct the service, after which the body will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burlal Park.

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ARMSTRONG—There passed sway asturday evening of the Work Point Borracks, Andrew Armstrong, sged thirty-two years, a native of Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, and a resident of this city for many years. He leaves a widow and three children The body is resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, until Wednesday merning, when the casket will be taken to St. Paul's Carrison Church, where service will be conducted by the chaplain, the Rev. F. C. Chapman, at 16.28 o'clock, after which the body will be laid to rest in the Naval cemetery. Esqui-mail.

### Seattle Council Refuses To Impeach Mayor

### Severe Storm Delays Ships In Arrivals

Three Vessels En Route Here Delayed by Strong Southeast Gale Approaching This Coast

Barometer at 29 Inches

Radio reports from shipping re-ceived at Genzales Wireless Station yesterday, reports a very severe storm centred about 1,000 miles off this coast, and moving eastward to-ward the northern end of Vancouver leiand and the Mainland, Prince Rupert already reports a southeast gaie blowing at fifty-two miles an hour, with a barometer reading of 29,74.

# Forest Act Has Second Reading

Opposition Leader Expresses Himself Dissatisfied With Terms of Bill

### **B.C.** Timber Goes To Many Countries

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### **Boy Scouts Elect** Officers for Year

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Speaking on behalf of herself, Mrs. John Hall, convener, extends herheartlest thanks to all her helpers at headquarters as well as to the con-

wood, secretary-treasurer, J. C. Anthony; exacutive committee, the officers of the council and Messra. W. D. Women's Institute for tha use of its R. Rorison, H. T. Ravenhill, R. P. Pomer, to Mrs. Hale for convening the Juncheonary auditors. Messra. Lamay. of the Daughters of the Empire, who very kindly lent bosses to Miss Agnes.

VANCOUVER, Dec. 14.—Awake by the crackling of flames, the young children of Mr. and Mrs. (?) less Hillyard, of Bouth Vancouver, a narrow escape on Saturday ni when their home was demaged by it Their parents were not at home the time. An overheated stove, close to the kitchen wall, is belie to have caused the outbreak. 'children were sleeping in a froom.





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First Snowdrop — Barbara Player has brought to The Colonist office the first snowdrop of the season, picked at 2850 Richmond Road. The blos-som is just opening.

Information Sought—In a letter to the Police Commission yesterday at-ternoon the Calgary police bear asked for information concerning the malary of the Victoria Chief of Pelice. The information will be given.

Sanich Conservatives—The San-leh Conservative Association will hold a meeting at the Campbell Building this evening at 8 o'clock. All mem-bers are asked to attend as there will be matters of importance brought up.

New Street Signs Ordered— City Council last night requested the Engineer to manufacture five cents each. The engineer that ename signs, as suggested by Chamber of Commerce, had proved satisfactory in the past.

Special Meeting—The Officers' Mess of the Fifth Rrigade, Heavy Coast Ar-tillery, will hold a special meeting to-night at 8 o'clock at the Armorles. Bay Bireet. Captain Morton, who is a recent arrival at Work Point, will also address the officers on modern gun-nery.

To Discipline Boys—The Police formination yesterday received a petition from Empress Avenue residents alling for disciplinary measures to urb the activities of a group of boys hoo do damage to the boulevards in he course of roller hookey, games, thick Fry was instructed to deal with he complaint.

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Ward Two Ratepayers A meeting of Ward Two Ratepayers Association will be held tonight, at 8 o'clock, in Toimie School. Election of officers will take place, and it is expected that candidates for municipal office will speak. Ward Five Ratepayers Awd Five Ratepayers as o'clock, at Royal Oak School.

Royal Oak School.

Relatives Sought—The city police are in receipt of a request seeking information as to the whereabouts of any remaining relatives of Alexander McNeil, who was at one time a guard at the penitentiary at New Westminster. The correspondent writing from Boyne City, Michigan, is antious to hear from any relatives. The belief is expressed that either Mrs. McNeil or some sons may be in Victoria.

Christmae Troo The Victoria sranch of the Great War Veterane' (seociation will hold its annual hierances on the afternoon of Tuceday, Jecomber 25, from 3 until 6 o'clook. Ill members who have not yet listed heir olildren's names are requested o do so at an early date. The list rill clore at noon on Thursday next, becember 17.

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so I tried it, and it has done world of good. I just took two half bottles, and I haven't it beadsche for a long time, now

Conservative Officers—Ward Four Conservatives held their annual meeting last night at the Conservative Rooms and elected the following officers for the annuing twelve months: Chairman, Mr. John Day; vice-chairman, Captain N. E. Fairweather; secretary-treasurer. Mr. J. Huxtable. Members appointed to central executive: Captain N. E. Fairweather and Massra. W. Hichen-Simith, George W. Palmer and Marsh Gordon.

Articles Audioned — The auction sale conducted by Gyro Lorne Pulton at yesterday's luncheon of the Victoria Gyro Cibb at noord a hursunces. About twenty articles of merchandise remaining useld from the famous country store at the recent hoo-down were put up for disposal by Auctioneer Pulton and brought fancy prices. The proceeds of the sale will aid a family in Saanich in distressed circumstances, whom the Gyros are assisting. The attendance prize, donated by Gyro Frank Burton, was won by Gyro Bill Cameron.

### Councillor Kirkham Expected in Field

Representative of Ward One Is Being Urged to Oppose Reeve Macnicol

ham, representative of Ward One, has been frequently mentioned during the last year as a possible candidate against Reeve Macricol for the Reeve-ship of Saanich.

mip or Saanich.

Mr. Kirkham yesterday indicated
that failing the appearance in the
field before nomination of other candidates he would be willing to consider the invitation of his friende,
but is not yet ready to make a definite
etatement.

statement.

The Ward One representative is sertain to put up a lively fight in case he enters the contest, as he entertains strong views about a forward solley for Saanich.

### **Building Wanted for** New Hospital Ward

St. Joseph's Hospital authorities last night asked the Cityt Council by letter for approval of the project to turn Vernon House, on Humboldt Street, into a temporary tubercular ward.

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# Big Delegation **Voices Protests** On Notary Bill

Professional Men Point Out Hardships Which Would Be Worked by Proposed Amendments to Act

### Lawyers Views Are Given

Notaries and Legal Professions Act.

The case against the bill was put by delegates representing real estate agents, notaries public, and chartered accountants, all of whom, especially the real estate agents, however, and the public public benefits and the public public benefits and the public public benefits. The speakers were: Messers Joseph Stridgman, Victoria; J. Loutet. North Vancouver; J. F. Nicolis, Van Jander, Aracouver; and Andrew H. Rathis, Vancouver; and Andrew H. Rathis, while the case for the law was in the hands of Mr. Lindley Crease, K.C., president of the Victoria Bar; Mr. A. M. Whitselde, Vancouver; and Mr. J. W. deB. Farrie, K.C.

K.C.

If the bill goes through, it will rob
real cetate agents of a good deal of
the business on which they rely, especially in the matter of land deals,
according to delegates. It will also
create a monopoly for the legal profession, who may charge what they
like for much work that is now done
gratuitously for the people, and will
throw that phase of business back to
remote times, and deprive British Cotumbia, of the reputation it has est up,
of having improved on the law of
England in the direction of making it
simpler for the people to understand.

Complaints Made

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Complaints Made

There was more than one complaint that ne notice had been given to the real eatiet world that the bill was coming on, These men asked that it be laid over for a year at least, in order that the people might have a chance of saying what they thought of the bill. One delegate said that there would be a protect from every municipality in British Columbia against it. The law of British Columbia has been made very simple by the Legislature, and under it there has been very little litigation arising out of land registry powers that it entrueted to real eatate men, was the argument set before the committee by Mr. Lad. The present circumstances, he are the complete of the committee by Mr. Lad. The present circumstances, he are the complete of the committee by Mr. Lad. The present circumstances, he are the complete of the committee by Mr. Lad. The present circumstances, he are the complete of the committee by Mr. Lad. The present circumstances, he are the complete of the committee by Mr. Lad. The present circumstances, he are the committee by Mr. Lad. The present circumstances, he are the committee by Mr. Lad. The present circumstances, he are the committee by Mr. Lad. The present circumstances, he are the committee by Mr. Lad. The present circumstances, he are the committee by Mr. Lad. The present circumstances, he are the committee by Mr. Lad. The present circumstances, he could complete the circumstances, he could continue the circumstances, and the circumstances are circumstances, he circu

as a guide for improvement.

Agreeable to Amendment

The incidence of English law was quoted by Mr. Kerr Holgate, of the Vancouver Real Estate Exchange, who said that, in respect of his father's property in Yorkshire, they had to trace back to the law of George II before they could get a title.

Most of the notaries public in Britanch Columbia were now in the real estate business eaid Mr. J. P. Nicolis, of Vancouver. At one time, he said, it was regarded as something objectionable to be in the business. He quoted in this connection the traditional letter from the man who wrote: 'Il was once a bartender, but now I have gone into the real estate business, but don't tell imother.' "I would be quite prepared to have "I' would be quite prepared to have

ness, but don't tell mother."
"I would be quite prepared to have an amendment of the law, which required that notaries should be bonded, in order that they be held responsible for possible mistakes," said Mr. Nicolia, who added that this was generally accepted by real estate men as a fair provision.

The chairman: "Would you care to say what documents should be prayared exclusively by the legal profession?"



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Kidney-Shaped Chesterfield
Covered with high-grade tapestry. Sale
Price \$145.00 Price
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Medium size, covered with good quality Medium size, covered with good quality fabric. Sale Price. \$85.00
9-Piece Walnut Dining-Room Suite
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Mermaid Hair Brushes, cushion backs, ape- cial \$1.39
Erasmic Toilet Waters, values 75c, \$1.15, \$1.90 and \$2.65, at
D'Orsay Glass, Talcums, \$1.00 value
Vantine's Incense Powder and Cones 40e
Incense Burners, special at
Gibbs' Lavender Dew Soap, 6 cakes, in special
Maxine Complexion Soap, 20c size, box of 12 for
Deauville Powder Compacts
Double Compacts, gilt and gunmetal, \$1.25 and \$1.50 values
Military Brushes, per pair. \$5.50 and \$8.50 Leather Military Brush Cases at \$1.50 and \$2.00
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	Daw Sen's Genuine Madras Curry Powder, 3-oz. bottle
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ı	Clotted Cream, No. 2 tin \$1.3
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1	Pat-a-Cake, No. 2 tin \$1.3
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Plate Beef, per lb1	21/1
Pot Roast, per lb. 121/4 and	15
Lean Stewing Beef, 2 lbs. for	25
Stewing Steak, per 1b	15
Corned Rumps, per lb	
Corned Briskets, per 1b	10
Hudson's Bay Beef Sausages	, pe
1b	
Round Steak, per lb	17
Veal Chops, per 1b	25
Veal Stew, per lb	10
Pork Chops, per lb	
-1.ewer Main Ploor,	H.B.C

### Christmas Candies and Novelties

Funny Folk	s, per box	25€
Milk Choco	late Orchids	, box . 45¢
Milk Choco	late Ginger,	box. 40¢
Pascall's Citables, inche Carrots and and	uding Grap Radish, per	es, Onions bunch 20¢
Ganong's H Finest Choo 1-lb. box 2-lb. box 5-lb. box	olates—	\$1.25 \$2.50
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Whipped Cream Sets, Handle Spoon
Trays, Ash Trays, Mustard Pots, Glass
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tables required.

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serious operation on Saturday.

In London

Among the British Columbians recently in London are: Mrs. J. Stijweil Clute. New Westminster; Mr.
Sidney B. W. D'Esterre, Comox; Mr.
Spencer H. Tuck, Pouce Coupe.

Arrived in Victoria
Senator and Mrs. Bostock have arrived at the Empress Hotel from
Monte Creek.

### Water Petition Is Being Circulated



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### Women's Clubs and Societies

Successful Bazaar

A successful bazaar was held by the
Altar Society of St. Andrew's Cathedral, on Saturday afternoon. In Sylstore Building, Tates Street, Nearly
store In Comment of the Cathers of the booths were; Base in charge of
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of the booths of Mary, fish India
Mrs. Sweeney and Mrs. Deveraux;
tea room, Miss O'Brien and Miss
Mrs. George Bailey, Mrs. S. Shanks
Madigan, and twenty-five gent labe,
Mrs. George Bailey, Mrs. S. Shanks
and Mrs. And Doyle, conveners of the
bazaar, wish to thank their many
friends for the help in making the
bazaar such a great success. The
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Jubilce Hospital Alumnac

The regular quarterly meeting of the
Jubilce Hospital Alumnae was held
last evening at the Nurses Home,
the president, Mrs. L. S. V. York, in
the chair. There were sixteen members present. The sum of \$50 was
voted toward the Solarium. It was
decided that the annual dinner, which
was such a success last year, will take
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was such a success last year. The
next meeting of of next year. The
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### Women's Institutes

Gordon Head

The regular fortnightly card party held under the auspices of the Gordon Head Women's Institute will be held in the half this evening, et sociock, Good prizes will be given an Gordon's Good prizes will be given an Gordon's Head of the Women's will be avered, and the faut party. Thet, Mrs. G. F. Waiten, Mr. J. Miller; second, Miss S. McCorn's Workers and the faut party; second, Miss S. McCormick, Mr. Erb; consolation, Miss Dunnett, Mrs. Tucker; ten bid, Miss M Watson, Mr. W. E. Queyle.

### St. Columba's Holds Its First Annual Meeting

The first annual meeting of Co-lumba's Church, Strawberry Vete, took place December 7, at the home of Mrs. Alcocks. The Rev. and Mrs. Mixon were present on a seventeen members. The vicar took the chair, After the various reborts had been read end adopted if was found things were very satisfactory, especially the good fellowship feeling among the members. The sum of \$335.19 had been raised during the year by the branch.

### Local Council to Discuss Big Theme

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# ORPHANS' HOME Annual Meeting

J. A. SATWARD, President R. HATWARD, Becretary.

### St. George's Auxiliary Has Successful Bazaar

Notwithetanding the bad weather on Saturdey efternoon the saie of work given by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Royal Society of St. George was successful. In the evening a successful, in the programment of the control of the successful on the successful on the successful of the successful on the successful of the successful on the successful of the succe

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BAANICHTON. Dec. 14—The reg-ular fortnightly card party given un-der the auspices of the Athletic ar-sociation was held in the Agricultural Hall on Saturday evening, eleven tables being engaged in play. Table, No. 7 won first prize with twenty-seven flags, the players being Mr. Sherring, Mr. Sutton, Mr. T. Buckle, and Mr. H. Rechon. Table No. 9 won



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Card Party at Saanichton

SAANICHTON, Dec. 14—The regular fortnightly card party given under the auspices of the Athletic Association was held in the Agricultural hall on Saturday evening, eleven.

### Presentation to Bride

SOOKE, Dec, 14.-Mrs. H. McBride and Mrs. W. Dioke were joint host-ROOKE, Dec. 14.—Mrs. H. McBride and Mrs. W. Dicks were joint host-crises on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. McBride at a mincel-laneous method of Mrs. McBride at a mincel-laneous method of Mrs. Esther Wilson, whose marriage will take piace December 16. Many beautiful and useful gifts were presented to the risk-cleck in a prettily decorated wag on drawn in by little Nan Beymut, Faa waa served by the hostestes. The were assisted by the hostestes, Neille Richardson and Bestrice Hawkins. Those present of the Mrs. E. Horwood. Mrs. R. Beymut, Mrs. G. Throup, Mrs. W. Wilson, Mrs. H. Strong, Mrs. J. Hawkins Mrs. S. Lundie, Mrs. Kohout, Misses F. Crsy, F. Mviir, G. Throup, B. Hawkins and N. Richardson.

### Mr. W. Manson Dies,

NANAIMO, Isec. 14.—The death has occurred at the family residence, Townsite, of Mr. William Manson, retired farmer, aged ninely-one, a resident of Nanaimo'for the last thirty-five years. He leaves one son, Mr. William Manson, ex-M.P.P. for Dewdney, in Vancouver; three daughters, Mrs. Mowatt, Sait Spring Island, Mrs. M. Mercer, Mida M. Manson, Nanaimo; twelve grandchildren and the control of th



EVEN JOT CAN KILL "Please prepare Mr. Mayer for tha shock. I have come to pay my account!"—Lustige Blaetter, Berlin.

### Pacific Biological Station Reviewed

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Many scientific workers gathered at the Pacific Biological Station, Namino, outling the past Summer and a state of the part of the p

of smell to the migration movements of suckeye asimons.

Dr. R. E. Foerster continued his Dr. R. E. Foerster continued his Dr. R. E. Foerster continued his of the fresh water three continues of the fresh water phress and the history of the sock-eye sation at Cultus Lake on the lower portion of the Trans Rivers.

Mr. L. L. Bolton Trans Rivers, of the digestive tracts of several species of fish, including most of the commercial kinds, as part of the general programme for the investigation of the food and feeding habits of fish.

Mr. G. V. Wilby, of the University of British Columbia, continued his study of the life history of the ling cod and made a preliminary survey of a number of the important ling cod fishing areas.

Miss V. Mather, of the University of

attley of the insense of the important ling cod and made a preliminary survey of a number of the important ling cod flabing area.

Miss V. Mather, of the University of British Columbia, carried out researches into the development of the starches into the development of the thyroid gland in several marine animals. These glands have a regulatory effect on growth.

In addition, the facilities of the in addition, the facilities of the laboratories were given for the colimbication and preparation of materials for research and study to several persons, including Professor F. Lloyd, of McGill University: Professor G. McGill University: Professor G. Glembia, and Miss A. E. MacDougaif, of the University of Teronto.

### Council Again Debates Fire

Discussion on Allowing A paratus to Respond to Calls From Municipalities

The City Council was again agitated last night in discussion of the uestion of permitting civic fire ennes to respond to alarms from the urrounding nunicipalities and again tabled the matter after a spirited de-

urrounding municipalities and again tabled the matter after a spritted debate.

Alderman Woodward strongly advocated that instructions be given to the department to respond to fire calls from the municipalities and that the municipalities are charged according to a fixed scale of prices for each response by this city's apparatus.

If the city's engines refusad to attend a fire which later developed into a calamity involving loss of life, the Council would face an unpleasant moral responsibility, he contended.

Alderman Mara, leading the opposition to the proposal, contended that the council would face an unpleasant moral responsibility, he contended that the council would face and the special contended that the council would be proposal, contended that the council for the council face of the council for the proposal contended that the council face of the council for the council finally decided to table the question peading further reports.

### Pioneer Prospector Injured in Fall

Mr. Robert Henderaon, pionaer ospector, sustained injuries in a ii on Sunday afternoon. The accintappened while he was carrying his prospecting tour for gold toughout the southern part of Vantant, Siavi, and Mr. and Siavi.

### Gulf Islands Hospital

GANGES, Dec. 14. — The Guif Islanda Hospital report for November: Patients admitted, & -medica; 2; surgical; 2; obstetric, 1; dartic, 1; discharged, 2; obstetric, 1; dartic, 1; discharged, 2; discharge

In the forests of the North, woodsmen are busily engaged in cutting hundreds of beautifully-shaped cedars and baissms, which will soon be in every oity throughout the Dominion, to be sold as Christmas trees. On Christmas morning they will be dazzling and glowing with light and color and beauty, and ladened with gifts. Little children will gase in adoration, clap their hands for Joy, and laugh and shout as they behold them, while grown-ups tooking on will recapture some of the happiness of their own lost, childhood and feel that truly Christmas in the giaddent, merriest time in all take year.

This practice of decorating and hanging gifts on a Christmas tree is well established, and one of the most delightful of our Christmas customs. But just how it all originated is somewhat uncertain. Certginly there is no manion of the Wise Men of old hanging their gifts on a tree. It is of course, well known that the Christmas iree custom was first in-roduced into England from Germany, about any dopped by all Englands and the court of the finding the property and the court of the Middle Ages, or may have been introduced into Europe by the ancient pagans, as were so many of our Christmas customs.

to this day the balsam if in the favorlie Christmas tree.

And, is not this symbolism one of
the most beautiful things about a
Christmas tree? For a Christmas
tree is always connected with Childhood and Home, both of which enshrine these three qualities—Love,
Faith and Hope. Indeed, there is no
other season of the year when home
lures to itself young and old alike, so
atrongly and so tenderly, as 'at
Christmastide. The Christmas season
finds people travelling North, Routh,
East and West, to be home for
Christmas.

In anticipation of this heavy
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management of the Canadian, the
tional Railways has made special ry
travellers may reach "Home,"
wherever their destination may be, as
comfortably, conveniently and rapidity as possible.

Travellers are recommended to
secure their tickets and reservations
as early as possible to avoid the last
minute rush. All information can be
had from City Ticket Office, 211 Government Street. Telephone 1242.

(Advt.)

# Tetters & Fditor

Victoria Radio Clab

Sir,—It has been reported that Aid.
Todd was defeated at the polis by an organized effort of the Victoria Radio Club.

We wish to make it clear that the Victoria Radio Club. We wish to make it clear that the Victoria Radio Club did not take an official action in this campaign. The club understood Mr. Todd's positic as chairman of the Finance Committee in his atand with regard to expenditures in clearing up radio interference, and the club endorsed the Council as a whoie.

It is unfortunate that many radio fans did not appreciate the situation, and probably Mr. Todd owes his defeat to their action at the polis.

G. HOWARD GRANT.
President Victoria Radio Club, 71 Linden Avenue, Victoria, B.C., December 12, 1925.

### Music by Radio

Music by Radio

Sir.—The lovely violin music that
came over CPCT on Priday night was
played by
lives in this city. Would am nick
lives in this city. Would am of this
same class, and then all criticism
would be silenced?

THELMA HARRIS.

1010 Princess Avenue, Victoria,
B.C., December 12, 1935.

To Goat Breeders

Sir,—I am very giad to see the letter from Mr. Maurice, S.P.C.A. Inspector, in your Saturday issue, warning people against leaving goats tethered out in the rain. Goats particularly dislike geiting wat, and the chill realisting frequently from exposure usually causes pneumonia and death. In Great Britain the magistrates usually punish severely any cases of such cruelty to animais, and Mr. Maurice will have the hearty support of this association in his endeavors to put association in the rain, and in his efforts to punish the practice of leaving goats the forts to punish the process of leaving goats of the process of leaving goats of the process of leaving goats of the general process of the process

Connaught Scamen's Institute

Sir.—Owing to the British and Foreign Sailors' Society not having senttheir usual donation for Christmas
cheer for the sailors, I fear we
may have to curtail our hospitality
and relief this year unless the good
people of Victoria come to our aid.
During the Christmas season it is
our custom to keep open housa, and
on Christmas Day a real old English
dinner is provided. Contributions in
money should be sent to Mrs. Gordon
Smith, treasurer to the Ladies' Guild
for Sailors, or to Mrs. Hommon, Alexandra House; in kind to the Conanaught Renmen's Institute, Superior
Street, or the Victoria Wood & Coal
Co., Broad Street. The smallest contribution gratefully received.

ALICE THOMSON.

President Ladies' Guild for Sailors,
Victoria, B.C., December 12, 1925.

Letter, of Thanks

Letter of Thanks

Sir.—I should like, through the columns of your paper, to thank all those who have been so sympathetic in my recent sad bereavement. I wish specially to thank the captain of the Evelyn and Mr. Angus for finding and caring for my husband's body, and the members of the Provincial Police, the secretary and members of the association of Transport Workers for their valuable assistance in helping me to identify the body; the military authorities for their kind-ness in rendering military honors at the funeral, and all those who sent usuch beaufitful floral tributes.

(MRS.) M. V. ELLIOT.

851 Short Street, Saantch, B.C., December 14, 1935. Letter of Thanks

Inspiration of Scriptures
Sir.—I was glad, as I am sure many
of your readers were, to read your
eaders on the inspiration of the Bible,
notice that some of your correspondents speak disparagingly of "fundamentalists." I suppose it is a coined
word for the occasion, as I can't
ind it is Webster's dictionary, but
Tundamental." according to this dictionary, means "pertaining to the
oundation or basis, hence essential,
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### Fashion Fancies



meaning of the word, the fundamentalist is one whose faith and hope rest upon a fundamental first and hope rest upon a fundamental for the first and the fir

# "American influence" Sir.—My attention has just been called to a statement in an Ontario newspape to a statement in an Ontario newspape to the when I asserted that the Mackensle King Government's disastrous policy of allowing the free export of Canada's raw pulpwood is influenced by American interests, I was "either saying too much or too little." If I am saying too much or too little." If I am saying too much tha recourse rests with the Government which can, if it is interested, require ma to appear and produce my avidence. If, on the other hand, I have said "too little," this is also something that can be remedied at the proper time and place. "American influence

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### FRANK J. D. BARNJUM. Montreal, Que., Dec. 7, 1925. Optional Pension Fund Is Planned

Teachers Would Be Safeguarded in Case of Ill-Health or Old Age

Mr. R. H. Neelanda' amendment to the bill introduced by Hon. Dr. MacLean, Minister of Education, to amend the School Act, asking in effect, that a fund be established at the option of teachers from which could be paid pensions to teachers who, having rendered long service were unable to continue in service because of ill-health or old age, was left in abeyance by the Legislature yesterday when, at the request of Dr. MacLean, the committee rose and secured authority to sit again to carry on second reading.

### Council Considers Park for Burnside

His remark was elicited by the reading of a letter from Mrs. Frances A. Walker, 3153 Deta Street, pointing out that residents of the district and petitioned for a park in Septem. er and complaining that sother nemed to

# Ladies' Guild Meets

BRENTWOOD, Dec. 14.—The last meeting of the year of the Ladies' Guild of \$1. Mary's and \$1. Stephens' Churches was held at the home of Mrs. A. E. Hole on Wednesday. The meeting was devoted to disposing of the past 'year's business and arranging for the annual meeting, which will be held at the home of Mrs. R. H. Gale, Mount Newton, on January 13.

During the tea hour Mrs. Bestram

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was served by the hostess, assiste by the Misses Hilda Maber an Gladys Guy.

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# World's Hockey Champions Percy Edmonds Wins Depart Today for Portland

Rosebuds Will Entertain Victoria Cougars Tomorrow in Rose City-Teams Here Next Friday-Lester and Players Receive Cup and Medals

Cougars Will Fight Hard

### Horemans and Schaefer Meet Again Next Month

CHICAGO. Dec. 14. — Edouard ormans, of Beigium, world's chamon at 18.2 balkline billiards, will light and the set young Juke Schaefer, twice emerly champion, in a 1800 point atch for the championehip at Orestra Hall here on January 4.5.
d 5. Horemans recently took the cheetra Hail here on January 4, 5 and 5. Horemans recently took the little from Schaefer, who played the little from Schaefer, who played the little from Schaefer, who played the lattle do not not be seen to the little from the lattle fro

### Old Country Football

LONDON, Dec. 14.—Rughy game

ported today:
Old Alleynione 18, Rugby 8.
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Moseley 12. Burton 0.
Nuneaton 24, Old Edwardians 3.
Aston Old Edwardians 8. Wolvempton 5. Birmingham University 37, Campil Old Edwardians 9

old Edwardiane 0, minghem 9, Edgewere 0,; nchemter 22, Broughton Park 0 ertillery 2, Blain 0, untain Ash 6, Abercarn 3, I Blues 13, Old Halleybury-16

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na 16. Selkirk 5, Edinburgh Instituta 0.
Stewartoniano 8, Gala 6.
Melroan 0, Hawick 14.
Keiso 19, Jedforest 0.
North Durham 11, Hartlepool 3.
Exeter 3. Bridgewater 3.
Wakefield 5, Hradford 21.
Liverpool University 23, Liveroi 6.

pool 6,
Waterloo 22, Northern 0,
LONDON, Dec. 14.—In football
games played today Oldham defeated
Derby 3-1 in an English League
Second Division soccer match. Newport won from Cambridge Univarsity
15-9 in a rugby game.

Notts County vs. Leicester Everton vs. Fuihem. Sunderland vs. Bouton. West Bromwich Albion ve. Bristol

Clay.

Tottenhom Hotspurs vs. West Ham.
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Portvale vs. Manchester United.
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Southampton ve. Liverpool.
Notts Forest vs. Bradford City.
Newcastle vs. Aberdare.
Plymouth vs. Chelsea.
Northampton vs. Crystal Palace.
Accrington vs. Bolton.
Crews or Wigan vs. Stoke.
Blemingham vs. Kattering or
Insaby.

Brochetia.

Queen's First Rangers or Chariton
histics vs. Huddersfield.
Rotherham vs. Bury.
Corinthiams vs. Manchester City, s
litackburn Rovars vs. Preston.
Blackpool vs. Swensea.
Bournemouth vs. Reading.
Middlesborough vs. Leeds.
Milwali vs. Odham.
South Lind vs. Southport.

Monthly Competition At Uplands Golf Club

Percy Edmonds was the winner of the men's monthly competition played at the Uplande, Golf Cilub on Sunday, Edmonds was one down. The match was against par with three-quarters was against par with three-quarters players entered to the first oight were as follows:

### Seattle Country Club Will Stage Western **Amateur Championship**

Have Brought Glory to City

"The Victoria Cougars have brought credit to themselves, preetige to the Province of British Columbia, and honor and glory to the city of Victoria," declared Mr. Lova, in making the presentations. "Your fame has epread throughout the universe, and you have given a wonderful boost to the city for which you play."

Mr. Love stated that no visiting hockey team in Vancouver was mora welcome and highly thought of than the Cougars. Vancouver fans had the greatest admirection and highest reaspect for the Victoria players who ciwaye played honesty and squarely. The Cougars were very popular in Vancouver, he said.

Speaking of the great publicity given Victoria through the Cougars winning the Stanley Cup. Mr. Love told of a visit paid last Summer to Vancouver by his brother from London, England. When asked where he wanted to go on arriving on Vancouver Island. CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—Methods of caring for the legion of golfers who have taken up the gama during the last few years with the marvelous growth of the pastime, were discussed at the annual meeting of the Western Golf Association after the retiring president, Charles O. Pfell, of Memphis, had handed over the duties of chief executive of the world's larg-

# Is Won by St. Mark's

Wins Winnipeg Matches

### Boy Beats Capablanca

WINNIFEG, Dec. 14—The team of British badminton stars, which is touring the Dominion, made a olean sweep here Saturday night in six matches against local teams. Later exhibitions between members of the touring team attracted a large attendance from the ranks of Winnipeg players. The British team left least night to fill engagaments in last night to fill engagaments in LONDON, Dec. 14.—A fifteen year-old Russian boy named Riskin who lives in London, yesterday de feated Jone Capablanes, the world champion cheep player, in one of th four games the Cuban lost in an exhibition in which he played forty and set in the court of the cour

# ROUNDING THIRD

by Hugh A. Jennings

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Patrick Expresses Thanks

British Badminton Team

batter.

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Lack Elustreness

The present flock of base runners has not given this sams study to the pitchers, nor have they practiced siliding enough. There are few good man today when it comes to stilled siliding. They can silide, of course, but they lack the clustveness that siliding is given by long and hard practice. If the players studied the various moves of the different pitchers with the latest process. With the clustveness that siliding is given by long and hard practice. If the players studied the various moves of the different pitchers with the clustveness that siliding is given by long and hard practice. If the players studied the various moves of the different and distinct poses. When he intended they learned to elide feet their intentions. Table Marian League, would be much batter had they learned to elide feet from the pose, and when he is often to the various the ball to a base occupied by a runner he has not pose, and when he is often to the work the ball to a base occupied by a runner he has not pose, and when he is often to the work the ball to a base occupied by a runner he has another pose. It is easy to tell what Adams intends to do. It is comparatively easy to tell what most pitchers intend. George Moriarty, who were nevar test, was still one of the best base runners in the case, which were proved the comparative to tell what most pitchers intend. George Moriarty, who were nevar test, was still one of the best base runners in the case of the provided and th

# Odd Goal Gives Shawnigan Lake Boys Maroons Victory Against Tigers Saturday afternoon, before a large and enthusiastic gathering. Showni-

NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Score Is Three Goals to Two in Last Night's Hockey at Vancouver — Honors of Game Go to Reg. Mackey

### Briden Scores for Calgary

VANCOUVER, Dec. 14.—Vancouver won tonight's hockey game against Calgary, 3 goals to 2. It was the Tigers' first appearance on local ice, and they made a great effort to break into the winning column of the Western Hockey League.

With the locals one goal up at the end of the first period, the visitors came hack strong in the second and thanks to Briden, the Tigers ran in two counters before the period ended, leaving them one up on Vancouver. The latter, however, held their opponents scoreless in the last session, while they scored the necessary two goals to win the match.

Pace Fast Throughout

Pace Fast Throughout.
The pace was vary fast throughout. Vancouver had the edge in the first period but were strongly outplayed in the second stanza only to come back and turn in championship work in the last easelon. To Reg Mackey belongs credit for the Maroon victory. He scored the opening counter of the game and also the last one and in betwann times he was peling Winklar from the corners. Reinikka got the trying count when he drew Winkler out on a combination play with Boucher.

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Ited Brien was the big noise on the Red Brien was the big noise on the Red Brien was the big noise on the Red Brien was the Red Brien was the Red Brien was and turned in a very finished exhibition in every play. The Caigary defence was unable to keep out the Sunday of the Red Brien was sent to the eldelines on three occasions for rough tactics. Caigary used the three-man attack entirely but they seemed to lack the Vancouver scores were all the result of solo and two-man rushes. Both Mackey's scores were shot from near for solo and two-man rushes. Both Mackey's scores were shot from near the blue line at the boards and they went past Winkler walst high. Calgary's two counters ware the culmination of a series of fierce attacks on the Marcon cage. In the last period between the Marcon cage, in the last period between the Marcon attacks bored right through the Tiger defence and Winkler made sensational saves on a number of occasions.

Summary
First period: 1, Vancouver. Reg. lackey, 4:28. ackey, 4:28.
Second period: 2, Calgary, Briden
om Oliver, 5:25; 3, Calgary, Briden

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gary	Position Vancouver	Jones135
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# Carpet Bowling League

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### **Cumberland's Victory**

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### Score Triple Victor On Football Fields

Saturday afternoon, before a large and enthusiastic gathering. Shownigan Lake School soccer team beat Cranleigh House School 3-1. Tha came was exceedingly fast and featured by fast, determined rushes and long accurate kicking on both sidea. In the first half there was no score, but ofter the interval Shawnigan showed that their forwards had more finish than the home aggregation, and scored three times, while Cranleigh got-one.

In the morning the Up-island tunior

In the morning the Up-Island junior team won a Wilson Cup game with St. Michael's by 4-0, and their third division beat St. Michael's second at the same time.

### Monkey Golf to Be Played at Uplands

Comedy Competition to Be Held Boxing Day—Charity Mixed Foursomes for New Year

Realizing that the average memb lons at Christmas-time, the Upland

New Year Poursomes

On New Year's Day a mixed fourcome competition will be held in aid
of the funds of the Victorian Order
of Nurses. Partners will be drawn
for and the rules will be medal play,
with helf of the combined handicaps
allowed. Entries must be in the secretary's hands before 4 p.m. on Tuesday, December 29, and tha entrance
fae will be fifty cents for each player.

### Wilcox Hatters Take Two From Crusaders

The match at the Arcade Allay last night. In the Commercial Leegue, ended in the Wilcox Hat taking two games from the Crusaders, who put up a plucky fight and secured the high single game, rolled by Logia, Manson, of the Hattars losing out by one pin. The scores follow:

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# Tillicums and Shells Hang **Up Wins in Amateur Hockey**

Large Crowd Sees Lieutenant-Governor Face-Off Puck in Opening Game of Senior League-Boys' Naval Brigade Band Pleases Spectators

Tillicums 3, Navy 6.
Sheile 7. Coloniat 3.
The Senior Amateur Ice Hockey
League got away to a flying etart
iant night at the Williows Ice Palace
when a-crowd of sbout 800 people
waithed the four competing teams in
action. Following the official ceremonies by His Honor Lieutenant
Governor Nichol, two stoutly contested games were seen in which the
teams fought tooth and nail in an
effort to win. In the first performance of the evening, Tillicumwere winners over the Navy by a
score of 3 to 0, while in the second
the Shells were victorious over the
Coloniet by a core of 7 to 3.
The presence of the Boys' Naval
Brigade band had a great effect on
the fane, and the snappy selections
rendered, prior to the game and
throughout the Intermissione, were
greatly enjoyed. A considerable number of the Brigade and Boy Scotts
were the guests of the Association.

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Commendable Showing

Considering the teams had only one week in order to get into ahape for the opening, last night's games were good and some excellent hockey was played. The first game between the newly-entered Navy team and the Tillicums was a ding-dong battle. The throughout, and at the end of the second period the clubmen were in the lead by a lone counter. The Shell-Colonist match, although the scora would indicate it to be one-sided, was just the opposite. The them were about equal in strength, but the olders got away on the right foot and remained with the advantage throughout the sixty minutes.

Both goalles in the Tillicums-Navy match played stellar hockey throughout, and both were on the top of their form. The work of the veteran, Percy Watson, proved to be flawless and he held out shots which looked like certain counters. Alex, Straith, for the Navy, also turned in a spectacular performance, and some of his saves were phenomenal.

Forde Gets First

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Sportive Punches

By the "Old 'Un"-

King ..... Forwards .... Peckham W. Oatman ... Forwards ..... Summary—Goals

First Perlod—Forde, from R. Ostanan, 13:40.

Second Perlod—None.

Third Period—Glasan, 7:10; R. Ostanan, 4:30.

Penalites

Penalties First Period-Belcher, Langlois wo minutes.

First Pariod—Miller, I:10: :40: Temple, 5:19: Temple 'oster, 1:00: Burnett, 1:45. Second Period — Foster,

ied-Foater, 9:10; Miller,

In. Third Period-Grean, 2 min,

### Kelowna Basket Team Wins From Vancouver

KELQWNA, Dec. 14.—Proving that their recent victories over Kamloops and Pentiction wera merited by their play, Kelowna Fenior B banketball squad flaturdey etaged a sensational comeback in the second half and nosed out Vancouver Rowing Club, 16-14.

At any rate we true in a series of the series of wicked people in Victoria who rejoiced exceedingly in their wickedness.

The footballes, too, were decidedly lucky in their Safurday atternoon weather. Though not perhaps parfect for football, it was decidedly very much better than it gave promise of being in the merning, and, although there was but a small gethering when the VETS and LADYBMITH opened hostilities at the Willows, it graw to quite big proportions long before haif-time when the blue eky was above.

And under the circumstances the football even wee quite good and raminded one of the tussies of older, though less happy, days, when the troops were training at the Willows and the Sixty-Savanth and other fine military teams used to play on the ground.

There was some good soccer in Victoria in those days, just about of equal calibre with that now being played in the Pacific Coast League.

And wasn't that a fine match at the HIGH SCHOOL when the Thompson Cup winners met the lade from BRENTWOOD and neither aide could claim the victory at the end?

Not much the matter with Victoria Rogby when two school teams can put up such a good showing at the game as can these.

This last was a great week-end for sport all ground. After some fine A meeting of the Victoria Rugby Union will be hald in the offices of the secretary, Union Bank Building, tonight et 5 o'clock. All members ere asked to attand.

### Woman Walks 44 Miles

ROSTON, Dec. 14.—Miss Elenora Sears, society woman tannis player, horsewoman, swimmer, skateri and rifle shot, won a wear today by walking forty-four miles from Previ-dence, R.I., to Boston, in eleven houra and sevan minutes.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14,—Reland Todd, British middlaweight champion, arrived today on the Mauretania.



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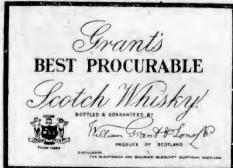
Sir Galahad II Being Shipped to Kentucky

EW YORK, Dec. 14.—Sir Gaiahad NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Sir Uanana II, famous five-year-old French race horse, arrived today on the Minne-tonka and will be shipped to Paris, Kentucky. The horse is insured for 30.00 English pounds. He was recently purchased from Jeff Cohn by A. B. Hancock for \$146,000.

The horse arrived in excellent condition.

Canadian Tour by English Soccer Team Now Fully Authorized

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The interna-



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# **Cup Winners on Christmas Day** Rest of Combination Cup Contenders to Be Repre-

sented in Exhibition Match Against Esquimalt-C. V. Milton Presents Cup for One Round Trophy

Soccer Team Selected to Play

In league soccer games to be played next Saturday the Wests meet Esquimalt at Beacon Hill; referee Stokes; James Island play Sons of England at James Island, referee Saunders; and United Services play Victoria United at Central Park, referee Oliver. Kick-off in all games at 2:30 p.m.

A cup has been presented to the association by Mr. C. V. Milton, to be known as the Milton Cup. This trophy will be played for in a one-round league, each team meeting each other team once with two points for a win and one for a draw and a play-off in case of a cit eat the end. Services), Qualinton (Sons of England) Siay-off in case of a cit eat the end. serves. Weir, Hawkes, Smith and Eintries for this competition must be Allen (United Services).

# Cedar Hill Win From Priors by Single Point

City Basketball Games Provide Plenty of Thrills— —Sons of St. George Beat Machine Gunners

Three good hoop games were played last night at the Armories in the City Basketbail League. In the first encounter the Sons of St. George trimmed the Machine Gunners to the tune of 13-4, while the boys from St. Andrew's just managed to down the Sons of England in a class "C" that the sons of England in a class "C" the sons of England in a class "C" the sons of England in game between Priors and Cedar Hill was a "humdinger," the winner being in doubt up to the last second of play. In the end the visitors managed to squeeze through with a 16-15 win.

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with a 16-15 win.

In the first game the Machine Gunners managed to hold the Sons of St.
George down to a 5-2 score in favor
of the Sons, but in the second period
they fell by the wayside and the
Saints ran through for a victory. The
teams were

Business Man Answers For-mer Ambassador's "Blue Ruin" Picture — Britain

were:
Cedar Hill: McMicoli, McRae (11),
Robinson (4), Vickers (1), and Price.
Priors: Partington (7), Nichol (2),
Veltch (6), Henderson and Muir.

### Racing at Tijuana

TIJUANA, Mex., Dec. 14.—Follow-ng are the results of yesterday's acing here?

racing heref
First Race, Five Furiongs—Runamer, 97 (Whitaker), 910.09, 94.80,
\$3.40; Betty O'Brien, 104 (Munden),
\$3.40, 33.00; Single Daie, 103 (Pendergaat), \$4.00. Time 1:03.

Becond Race, Mile and One-Quarter—Plunger, 93 (Walince), \$3.80,
\$2.50, \$2.20; Wonder Light, 33 (Munden), \$3.20, \$2.40, \$7.00; Marken, \$3.20, \$2.40, \$3.60, \$3.70;

lor), \$3.00. Time 1:88 3-5.

Saints ran through for a victory. The teams were:

Sons of St. George: Scafe (6), Noel (3), Mercer (4), Limiey (1), Armicas, and Jos.

Mercer (4), Limiey (1), Armicas, and Jos.

Mercer (4), Limiey (1), Armicas, and Jos.

Marcer (4), Limiey (1), Armicas, and Jos.

Marcer (4), Limiey (1), Armicas, and Jos.

Miller (1), Mercer (4), Armicas, and Jos.

Miller (4), Armicas, and Jos.

Miller (4), Armicas, and Jos.

Third Race, Six Furlongs—Kilaues, 102 (Mylics), 18.60, 13.20, 102 (Mylics), 18.60, 13.20, 102 (Mylics), 18.60, 102 (Mylics), 18.60, 102 (Mylics), 102

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Wailace), \$3.20, \$2.20; Little Shasts 05 (Edwards), \$2.20. Time :54.
Seventh Race, Four and One-Hair
Furiongs—Fullanti, 107 (Buckley),

Seventh Race, Four and One-Half Furiongs—Fulianti, 107 (Buckley), \$7.50, \$3.50, \$3.00; Olympian King, 107 (Munden), \$3.60, \$2.50; Sly Fox, 107 (White), \$7.00. Time :541-5. Elghth Race, One Mile—Spirea, 103 (Munden), \$3.40, \$3.00, \$2.50; Zing, \$8 (Holeeko), \$4.60, \$3.00, Jula Lee, 91 (Hi. Fisher), \$2.30. Time :1541. Overnight Entries
First Race, One Mile—Piowsteel, 96; Hackamoore, 96; Jay Mac, 96; Summer Sigh, 109; Old Fathful, 111; Ginger, 111; Montona, 111; Ple, 108; Summer Sigh, 109; Old Fathful, 111; Ginger, 111; Montona, 111; Ple, 108; Summer Sigh, 109; Old Fathful, 111; Ginger, 111; Montona, 111; Pie, 108; Charles of the Spire of

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Women's Institute Holds Bazaar

BRENTWOOD, Dec. 12 .- The Wes

BRENTWOOD, Dec. 12.—The West Snanish Women's Institute held a successful bazaar and sale of work in the Institute Plath. Brentwood, on Fridny afternoon and evening, December 11, when the various stall the following stalle:

Work stall. Mrs. J. Oshorne and Mrs. W. O. Wallnee, candy, Mrs. It. J. Freeland Mrs. A. Guy; home cooking. Mrs. W. O. Wallnee, candy, Mrs. It. J. Freeland Mrs. A. Guy; home cooking. Mrs. W. O. Wallnee, candy, Mrs. It. J. Freeland Mrs. A. Guy; home cooking. Mrs. W. O. Wallnee, candy, Mrs. It. J. Freeland Mrs. A. Guy; home cooking. Mrs. W. Orten, assisted by the following young ladies, Missea Overton. Shirley Sluggett, Margaret Johnston and Lillian Walker. The president. Mrs. T. Inddon, introduced Councillor L. C. Hagan, who gened the bazaar. In his remarks the Councillor can be continued to the continue of the continued of th

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### Card Party Held

# Vancouver Island

Lantern Upsets: House Is Burned

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith Rendered Homeless by Con-sequence of Mishap

NANAIMO, Dec. 14.—Through the overturning of a lantern on the kitchen (toor, the residence of the hard of the hard

Avenue, Five Acres, was completely destroyed by fire on Saturday evening.

Mr. Smith had left his home for the city, and Mrs. Smith was preparing the four children, all under nine years of age, for a bath, and busy looking after two of them, when one of the children upset a lastern which make the control of the children upset a lastern spread over the floor, and Mrs. Smith hursely smatching up a newspaper, mopped up the oil as best she could and crushed the oil-soaked paper into the stove. Unfortunately, while her attention was diverted by the children, a part of the paper fell on the floor, and the fiames spread over the oil-soaked floor covering and reached a rack of ciothing which had been hung up to dry. The ciothing caught fire, and within a space of seconds, the room was an inferno, and the fiames spread over the oil-soaked floor covering and reached a rack of ciothing which had been hung up to dry. The ciothing caught fire, and within a space of seconds, the room was an inferno, and the fire third in the ciothing, through the door to safety, and follow herself, before the entire building was in flames, and beyond all hope of saving.

The house and contents were insured for \$1,000.

### Five Acres Ladies' **Guild Celebrates** Ten Years' Existence

beveiling, with ten tables of cards. The prize winners were. First, table number nine, with twenty-seven tings, the players at this table being Mrs. R. E. Smith Mrs. T. S. P. Buckle, Mr. Osborne and Mr. Bert. Pox. Table number seven with twenty-foreur being Mrs. R. E. Smith Mrs. T. S. P. Buckle, Mr. Osborne and Mr. W. S. P. Mr. Osborne and Mr. W. Mr. Osborne and Mr. W. Mr. Osborne and Mr. Mr. Mr. Randle, and Mrs. W. Mrs. Randle, and Mrs. W. Mrs. Randle, and Mrs. W. Mrs. T. Bennett gave two vocal solos, and Mrs. T. Bennett gave two vocal solos, and Mrs. T. Cannon plano solos.

### Pupils Are Heard In Attractive Recital

In Attractive Recital

LANGFORD. Lec. 14:—The semiannual recital by the pupils of Mrs.

H. Sinipson was given in the school
on Saturday atternoon. Assisting in
the programme were also pupils of
Mrs. M. McCoy Jamieson, of Victoria.
who delighted the audience with
some excellent vocal selections. Miss
Rita Ormiston acted as accompanist.
The Rev. H. Pearson acted as chairman. The programme was as follows: Plane soin, "Gipsy Rondo."
Miss Ciccity Setchfield: plane solo,
"Minuet," Georgina Cooney: plane
solo, "Monlight Sonaia," Miss
agret. Peatt: plane, "Down Here"
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and Ada Simpson: plane solo, "Spring
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Misse E. Smith, C. Setchfield
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# Deep Cove Personals

Mrs. Hindmarch Burled

NANAIMO, Dec. 14.—The remains
of the late Mrs. 1. Hindmarch, whose
death occurred on Wednesday evening, were laid to reat Saturday afternoun, the funeral taking place from
the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W.
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the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. W.
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the funeral was attended by a large concourse of Ariends and relatives of the
family, and many beautiful floral
tributes were sent by aympathising

### Birthday of Miss Diana Crofton Is Marked by Dance

SALT SPRING ISLAND, Dec. 14.—
On Saturday, Harbor House, Ganges, was the acene of a very gay and feative gathering, when Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crofton were host and hostess at a delightful dance given by them in honor of their daughter Diama's birthday. The excelient music supplied by Messra. P. Lowther and 4. Elliot, and the Joily Christmas atmosphere that pervaded the entertainment made the evening an exceedingly pleasant one, which was thoroughly enjoyed by about seventy

### **Christmas Concert** Is Set for Wednesday

ROYAL OAK, Dec. 14.—Preparations are complete, for the annual Christmas concert of Royal Oak School to be held in the hall here on Wedneaday evening, December 18, to closely the sense of the sense of the sense of the Sanich War Memorial Health Cente will hold the regular monthly meeting tomorrow evening in the Municipal Hall at 8 o'clock.

The Women's Auxiliary to the Health Centre will hold the regular monthly meeting tomorrow evening in the Municipal Hall at 8 o'clock.

The Women's Auxiliary to the Health Centre will not have a meeting this month owing to the holiday season, and will hold their annual meeting on Tuesday, January 19.

### Sidney Personals

### A XMAS SURPRISE



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### Ganges Personals

GANGES, Dec. 14.—Mrs. Cecil Ley, f Ganges. Is visiting Victoria for a ew days, the guest of her sister, Mrs. om Charlesworth.

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NGES, Dec. 14.—Mrs. Cecil Ley, danges. Is visiting Victoria for a days, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charlesworth.

T. Jack Borradalie arrived on any at Ganges, where he is the t, for a few days, of his parents, and Mrs. George Borradalie.

T. William Sutherland, of Ganges, days the guest of Ganges, where he is the total control of the c



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### **Grain Expert Denies** Alleged Soviet Plan

Sir Herbert Robson Declares Improbable Reported Rigging of Wheat by Moscow

LONDON, Dec. 14.—Sir Herbert Robson, noted grain importer, says he thinks it is extremely improbable that there has been any rigging of the Winnipeg and Chicago wheat markets he Bolsheviat agents by circulating reports earlier in the year that Russia would export large quantities of wheat with a view to profiting by a fall in pricen as the result of such reports, as charged by London newspapers.

norte, as charged by London newsnapers.

In Sir Herbert's opinion, however, it
s quite clear that the Russians have
seen sulting their own ends by grossy over-estimating their own erop and
ransport facilities.

Russia's dise ppearance as an excorter of wheat eccurred in October,
it Herbert says, "Then the drought
in Australia caused disappointment
in the Australian crop and this was
followed by the failure of the crop in
Argentina. At the present time the
only large block of wheat in the world
upon which the importer can draw is
the Canadian wheat which is largely
in the hands of the Farmers' Co-operative Society, whose natural and
proper object is to realize the price."

# Chinaman Must Allegations on "Big Explain Fire

Accused of Attempted Arson, Pon Poy Leung Will Go to Higher Court for Trial

Pon Poy Leung, charged with attempted aroun, has been committed for trial by poiler magistrate Jay. The offence alleged against accused in that he tried to set fire to a house, 636 Discovery Streat, in which a Chinese woman, Lee Chin Chee, whom Pon Poy Leung claims in his wife, was living with her uncle and aunt. Lee Hun and wife.

Mun and wife.

The Crown's case is that repeated threats were made against Lee Chin Ches. "See how many years and escape me and I will kill two," he is alleged to have said to the girl. A letter written to her by accused was produced and transalated in court yesterday in which a demand was made for money if she winhed to cut free from accused and marry someone clies. In the translation given there appeared the statement "If you wish to work free and marry another man you will have to compensate me."

you will have to compensate me."

In Love With Widow

Lee Chin Ches, who had been marriers are became a widow been eagerly sought after by Pon Poy Leung, who wished her to go to China and marry him. They had eventually gone hack to China, but all was not smooth in their domestic affairs, it would appear, as she alleged that he threatened "to shoot her with a gun like a worm." He had also beat her and finally got her to come back to Victoria.

toria.

She had gone to work in a restaurant in Duncan while, according to her evidence, accused would not work but demanded money from her. Finally she had to give up her position, come to Victoria and live with her mode.

had warned her, "Look our for your life."

Early Monday morning following this Lee Chuck, who worked by the dogs barking and getting up saw fire at the back of the house. She saw accused walking away, she testinged. Her uncie was aroused and going down some burning paper and polyen frecrackers were found against the woodshed. Some of the boards were scorched and there was a smell of coal oil.

Coal Oil Smelled

Chief Fry was called and gathered the embers from the fire that had been there. The following day a broken bottle with some coal oil was found by Lee Chin Chee behind a plece of galvanised fron nearby.

Lee Chuck, who worked in the

piece of galvanized iron nearby.

Lee Chuck, who worked in the
laundry next door to Lee Hun's home,
had stopped accused from going into
the yard the day before. Accused had
become angry and had said "Better
tell two of them to look out for their

len two or them lives."

Lee Hun, uncls of the girl, tostified that accused had said in his hearing he would kill the girl if she dld not go back to him. Lee How, brother of Lee Hun, gave evidence that he had heard accused say he would burn down his brother's house.

down his brother's house.

Accused, who has no counsel, asked permission to testify on his own behalf, but his evidence consisted of a rambling account of the shortcomings of the girl, Lee Chin Chee, with no reference whatever to the fire that was located in rear of the house.

The magistrate committed him for trial.

SEATTLE, Dec. 14.—Joseph May berry Harris, twenty-nine, died shortly after being picked up in front of a hotel here yesterday. Police reported that Harris jumped out of a second atory window. He was employed by a lumber company as a bookkeeper.

Continued from Page 1

withess had asked him to encue a tio secure a licence for him for the premises.

Mr. Meredith explained that he had been asked to do so, and as Mr. Mc-Soriey had leased the premises in anticipation of obtaining a licence he thought that if it could be obtained the trouble over the lease would be actiled. The witness told Mr. McSorley that he knew the liquor commissettled. The witness told Mr. McSorley that he knew the liquor commissionably mannally and he was a reasonable meaning the second of the liquor control Board in Vancouver.

Mr. Twigs—You wrote to him regarding the McSoriey licence?

"Yes, in respect to his regusal to grant one."

garding the McSoriey Ilcence?

"Yes, in respect to his refusal to grant one."

Mr. Twings—What did Mr. Davidson say when you saw him?

Mr. Merdelth—As a matter of fact.
Mr. McSoriey told me that Mr. Davidson had promised him a licence and
as a result he had gone ahead with the lease. I thought it may attrocious if a public official would make a promise and get all would make a promise may be a man to go aftend with improvements and then not keep his promise.

Chairman Mackenzie—This alleged promise was before he came to you?

Mr. Meredith—Tee. Mr. Davidson took the position that Mr. McGoriey had entered into the lease without any promise. He said that while he respected Mr. McGoriey, he had proceeded without an assurance that he would obtain the licency, he had proceeded without an assurance that he would obtain the licency.

Mr. Twings—Wide more its.

"Not at that interview."
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Mr. Meredith—Some time after Mr.
McSorley came to me. The subject
of beer ilicences received considerable
attention through the efforts of Mr.
Woodward to have no more issued.
Mr. Davidson said that owing to Mr.
Davidson said that owing to Mr.
Woodward's objections he did not
want to grant any more licences in
that district.
Mr. Twigs—When was the sxpreesion "atorm centre" used?
Mr. Meredith—He used soms kind
of an expression like that; I cannot
recoilet just what it was now. His
remarks were to the effect that he
was not soing to take the onus of goling against local opposition.
Mr. Twigs—What did he mean?
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Mr. Twigs—Do you know of any other licences having been issued in that district?

Mr. Meredith—There may have

Merchants Not Favorable
"I cannot recollect any other names
being mentioned, but the impression
that I received was that the merchants generally in the district were
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Mr. Meredith—No; I handled the matter entirely.

"Did Mr. Campbell do snything?"
Mr. Meredith—As far as I knöw Mr. Campbell was not engaged either by Mr. McSorley or Mr. Shannon.

"Did you discuss the matter with Mr. Campbell"

"Yes: we both thought that on the facts as given by Mr. McSorley he should get a licence."
Mr. Twigs—Do you say positively that he did not use his influence? Mr. Mrigs—Do you far as I know, Chairman Mackensie—Evidence was given about a \$500 fee; what have

Mr. Meredith—Not as far as I know. Chairman Mackensle-Evidence was given about a \$500 fee; what have you to say about it?

No Money Received

Mr. Meredith—Neither I nor the firm received any money in connection with obtaining a lieence from either Mr. McGorley or Mr. Shannon. As I explained, Mr. McGoreiy came to me in connection with his trouble over the lease. That was the matter for which I was acting. He was used by the landlord and I acted for him. For all our services rendered up to date we rendered him a bill for \$200 in August, of which he had paid \$100. This is the only money that we received from Mr. McGorley in connection with any services of any kind for him.

Mr. Twing—Did you evar discuss a

him

Mr. Twige—Did you over discuss a
1500 fee?

Mr. Meredith—When it appeared as
If we ware going to have to fight, Mr.
McSoriey asked me what it was going to cost him and I toid him he
would have to make provision for
\$400 at least. This was not mentioned by me as a retainer.

Mr. Twige—If he had obtained his

licence there would not have been any trouble about the lease?

"It is not likely."

Mr. Twigr, in further questions, asked if the witases had endeavored to obtain the license, to which Mr. Meredith replied that he had explained that he had taken the matter up with Mr. Davidson and that he had done everything he could because he thought at that time that Mr. McSoriey was getting "a rotten deal" and he considered it to be his duty to his client to see that he obtained fair play in the circumstances of the case. Mr. Twing also asked if the witness knew Mr. Shannon.

Mr. Shannon.

when he appears before the committee today or tomorrow-will be asked to break the empasse.

On being called, Mr. Meredith said that Mr. H. J. McKorley had consulted him several times on different matter. Early in May of this year he had come to him about the lease on the Paiace Hotel, Hastings Street, Vancouver. The lease called for McKorley to make extensive alterations and repairs to the buildings, and the landlord, a man named Monka, was cailing on him to start work. Mr. McKorley told the witness that he had made application for a beer licence for the portion of the premises that he had leased, and that Liquor Commissioner Hugh Davidson had promised him he would get it.

Mr. Twigs—Did he mention any other name?

Mr. Meredith—Not that I can recoilect.

"Yea; a writ was entered against him and I put in a defence."

Licence Allegedly Promised Continuing, Mr. Twigs asked if the witness had asked him to endeavor to secure a licence for him for the premises.

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Mr. Twige—Did you ever have any conversation with Mr. Davidson when Mr. Shannon was present?
Mr. Meredith—Not that I can recoliect. The only times that I saw Mr. Davidson—four or five times—were in his office in Vancouver. I believe I did call him up over long-distance at Victoria.
Mr. A. E. Munn—You probably know how much Mr. McSorley lost in the matter?

83,000 Out of Pocket
Mr. Meredith—As an estimate I

Mr. R. H. Pooley—Greenwood, was it not?
Mr. Twigg—Do you swear he had no political influence?
"Well," laughed Mr. Meredith, "judging by results he did not appear to have much."
Chairman Mackensie called attention to the reference made in the press to evidence given by Mr. Shannon at the last sitting calling Mr. W. T. McArthur the "big cheese" in respect to the granting of licences in Vancouver. His recollection of the evidence was that the expression was "big chief." He said that he had looked up the transcript and that he

Or did McBorley say he had seen McArthur?

Mr. Meredith—Never. Mr. McBorley did say something about his having a conversation with Mr. McArthur, Major Burde—I think that Mr. McArthur should be called before this committee. There has been an ugly picture fixed in the public mind, and it it is justified then it should remain there, but if it is not then it should be blotted out. I want to see a full Mr. Meredith—Never. Mr. McSor. ley did say something about his having a conversation with Mr. McArthur. Major Burde—I think that Mr. McArthur. Major Burde—I think that Mr. McArthur. Somethies of the somethies of the somethies. There has been an ugly picture fixed in the public mind, and it it is justified then it should remain there, but if it is not then it should be blotted out. I want to see a full nevertigation into this ugity thing.

Mr. Twigg—If Mr. McArthur is

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fon. H. Il. Stevans in also showing
igns of complete recovery and will
hortly he allowed to leave the gentrai hospital.

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# At the Playhouses

### Lady Who Lied Is Lavish Film Hit

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That's "The Lady Who Lied," latest of the Carewe epics of the sandy wastes, as shown yeaterday for the first time locally under First National auspices at the Capitol Theatre.

Carewe and his technicians have reproduced such locales as the Sahara, Algiers, Venice, with telling realism.

PLAYHOUSE "The New Command-THEATRE ment" is Robert T.

\*\* Kane's initial production for First National release, and both Kane and First National are to econgratulated on the acquisition of such a sparkling film. The Playhouse Theatre is also to be commended on its excellent thate for booking such an excellent photoplay. Manager Caliadine, who arranges the programmes at the Playhouse Theatre, has scored again.

COLUMBIA "Ramshackie House,"
THEATRIE which opened last
might at the Columbia
Theaire, is one of those pictures that
fits everyone's penchant whether it
be for romance, mystery or adventure in strange settings, because all
three ingredients are in evidence in
copious quantities. As for thrills,
there's a big one in every sequence
and they aren't time-worn, either;
they have the added advantage of
being novel.

### Distinguished English Company Opens at the Royal on Thursday

Royal on I hursday

Opening at the Royal Theatre on hursday night for three nightia, ameron Matthews and his disaguished company are presenting to brilliant vemedy. "The Dover ond." This comedy is from the pen A. A. Milne. the noted English aywright, author of "Mr. Pim sames By." "The Romantic Age." of the same and the same and

### Ladies' Musical Club Will Give Recital At Empress Hotel

The Ladles' Musical Club will give to December recital at the Empress totel Wednesday evening at \$11. The acloists will be Mr. Haroid Laylor, the well-known 'cellist,' Mrs. Longfield, contraito; Mrs. Floyd, opprano; Mina Arline Falconvitch, who won the L.M.C. Cup at the B.C. Wusic Festival. There will be two groups by a louble quartette, and the accompanists will be Mrs. C. C. Warn and Mrs. Guerney.

### Rheumatic Agony

### Dominion Theatre—Ramon No-varro in "The Midshipman." The Stage Coliscum—"The Merry Widow," -"Father Goes to

Columbia—Betty Compson in "Ramshackle House."

**AMUSEMENTS** 

Being Lionized Ramon Navarro Is Not One of Those Who Likes Back-Slapping Methods

Star Disapproves

There is one star in the movies who ill never be lionized. will never be lionized.

Like politicians, it is said of movie stars that they must be first-rate handshakers and yea, artists in order to retain their popularity. But Ramon Novarro, who is the star in the Dominion Theatre's teature photoplay this week, "The Midahipman," dissented

senis.

This is not intended to lead the average reader and picturegoer to believe that Mr. Novarro is what might be called "uppish" or "ritry." Far from that. He loves good company and has a host of 'personal friends. But they accept him as one of them and not because he is a picture celebrity.

### Millions Involved In Mining Deal

Flin-Flon Sale Said to Involve \$24,000,000-New Yorkers Are Interested

Are Interested

WINNIPEG, Dec. 14.—The Manitole Free Press in a front page article this afternoon statement of the tribute of the tribute of the properties of the property is 4.500,000, of which the Mining Corporation of Canada gets 13.000,000 and a 10 per cent interest. H. P. Whitney and associates of New York, are the purchasers."

The Flin-Flon Mine is located 110 miles from The Pas, Man. to the northwest on the boundary line of Manitoba and Saskatchewan, and according to The Free Press the taking over of the mine will involve the construction of a railway at an estimated cost of more than \$2.000,000 and the construction of a town. Recent plans for development suggests smelter ma-

### Biological Board Issues Bulletin

Expert Investigates Life History of Sockeye Salmon and Its Enemies

Dr. R. E. Foerster, who is carrying out investigations of problams connected with, the fresh water life history of the sockeys sainon and with the propagation of this fish for the Biological Board of Canada, has written an important paper dealing with a special study of the food supply and the enemies of the young sockeye saimon.

the enemies of the young sockeys salmon. Dr. Foerster is stationed at Cultus Lake, B.C., and his studies cover that lake. Harrison Lake and several others in the same region. The food of the young sockeys from the time that the yolk sao is absorbed until they leave the lake for the sea, consists of small animals about the sisses of pin heads, constituting what is known as animal plankton. The young sockeys feed largely in deep water during the day and may come upward at night. Dr. Foerster has studied the amount, of the food supply as well as the materials composing it, and shows that there was an abundant supply of food materials in all the lakes studied during the period of the investigation. Bome lakes were much richer in food materials than others. The explanation of this is that the animal plankton is dependent upon the plant plankton is food on the plant plankton of this is that the animal plankton is food on the plant of the plant animal plankton per unit volume of water than do large deep

LISBON, Dec. 14.—The Portugues abinet, under Domingo Pereira, ra igned on Saturday. Bernardino Ma hiado, the newly-elected president o he republic, declined to accept the

### Cassiar Gold Rush Reviewed

Mr. W. A. Johnston, of Geological Survey, Sketches Progress in Dease Lake Area

in Dease Lake Area

About \$7,500 in gold was produced, according to Mr. W. A. Johnston, of the Geological Survey of Canada, from placers on Goldpan Creek, Cassiar, Fritlish Columbia, during the Summer of 1925. It was on Goldpan Creek, chait the find was made in the Autumn of 1624 that led to the rush into this district in the Spring of 1925. This creek is a tributary of Little Englie River, and lies eleven miles in a direct line due east of the head of Dease Lake.

All the mining was done by hand as in the seventies, when the Cassiar district was the neede of considerable from the Discovery chaim, 1,000 feet long, and from claims No. 1 above and No. 2 below, each 250 feet long. The creek was mined out for a length of 565 feet, tha ground averaging three to five feet in depth. Some gold was found in the upper parts of the creek, which is nearly four miles long, and on its tributaries, but apparently not in sufficient quantities to pay for working by hand methods.

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Considerable protecting was done in other parts of the region and extended as far north as Frances Lake, east to Muddy River, and in the west on the first north fork of Clearwater River. One party of prospectors used a hydroplane for moving from one part of the region to another, as well as for flying in and out of the country. Late in the Autumn a discovery of placer gold on low benches in the canyon of the first north fork of Clearwater, was raported, and a number of prespectors went into the area. No information is available as to the importance to be attached to the new discovery.

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### Burma Forester Comes to Study

Mr. C. R. Robbins Gives Some Interesting Points About Land of Yellow Robe

by way of Suez.

Important Trees

In addition to the famous teak used by so many countries for ship-building and allied industries, the chief products of the foresta are in, a wood whose planking is utilized in noise construction; padank, a red-wood used for furniture and railway ties, and pylinkade, utilized extensively for railway work, and for posts for houses, being one of the few timbers which are free from the destruction of white ans.

Logging is conducted largely with elephants, and an extensive exported being teak.

Apart from forest activities, Mr. Robbins asays the chief industries are rice cultivation—the staple food of the people—and oil production, and with the British administration, and Important Trees

### Slayer of Vancouver Nurse Appears in Court



December 17, 18 and 19

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last night by City Engineer F. M. Pression.

Recently the Provincial Department of Lands offered to open up and do the rough grading on Kimtal Road, Tyee Road and Langford Street with-In the area of the industrial reserve, if the city would agree to do the surfacing work.

Aid, Todd pointed out that the undertaking would provide work for a certain number of the unemployed, and Mayor Pendray indicated his approval of the scheme.

It was finally decided to leave the matter in the hands of a committee composed of the Mayor, Aldermen Brown and Biair and the city engineer.

Week December 14 to 19

# Adjourned for Week

Charged on two counts of obtaining money by false pretences, George A. Smith appeared in police court yes-terday. The two sums alleged to have been so obtained were for \$5 and \$20.

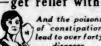
New European Peace Effort

GENEYA. Dec. 14.—Existence of a new European peace effort was revealed today when it was learned that spain has begun negotiations for arbitration treaties with France, England, Switserland and Portugal, duplicating those adopted at Locarno between France, Beiglum and Gérmany.

and \$20.

Accused was represented by Mr. W. H. Bullock-Webster, who applied for one week; and at the same time made appliedation for being remained that accused was the holder of considerable property at land, with the property at the property at the property and the property at the property at the property and the property at the property at the property at the property and the property at th

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morning from the Orient to discharge some 256 tons of cargo.

The Asuka Maru had a rough passage, entering the storm centre in mid-Pacific. The atorm traveling astward, etayed with the ship all the way into Victoria.

Included in the cargo on board the Asuka Maru was 3,200 bales of raw shik, valued at more than 34,000,000. The vessel had 2,000 tons of freight on board all told.

The wireleas operator intercepted messages passing to and from the steamer Maywood in mid-Pacific. The wireleas and that she was in trouble and required a tow. Vessels much messages said that she was in trouble and required a tow. Vessels much other the vessel, so the Asuka Maru commended the results of the commended of

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Traveler Tells of How He Lost Two Fortunes Dur-ing the Gold Rush in Australia

### Amasses Third Fortune

When the Canadian-Australasian When the Canadian-Australasian liner Niagara sails for Honolulu, Suva, New Zesiand and Australia tomorrow night she will have among her sailon passengers Mr. Edwin Wiles who, after a lifetime of farming and prosecting for gold and other valuable minerals, is returning to his home in Australia. He is now enjoying the fruits of his labor, and is just returning from a six months' trip to the United Kingdom.

Mr. Wiles at the are of eighteen

United Kingdom.

Mr. Wiles at the age of eighteen started as a farmer in Australia. He secured a grant of 329 acres of land and started raising wheat and sheep. Eight years later he sold out and netted a profit of \$40,000. At that time the gold fever was rampant in Australia, and he invested his small fortune, but lost every cent. He went back to farming again, and after several years of hard labor again sold out, making a handsome profit on the deal.

Not content with his previous ex-Not content with his previous experience, he again lost his stake. He purchased another farm and went in for wheat growing and sheep raising, and, incidentally, invested in tin and wolfram mines, and succeeded in making a fortune. Today he is independent.

Mr. Wiles said wheat growing and sheep raising were fascinating, lucrative methods of accumulating riches, and he would advise all who are in a position to do so to follow these pursuits in their own country.

### Port Alberni Seeks An Assembly Plant

Resolution Forwarded to Ottawa Asking for Central Point for West Coast Business

are l'ort Alberni Board of Trade la pressing for the establishment, of a lumber assembly plant at that point, and has embodied its case in a resolu-tion which was adopted by the board at its last meeting. It is worded as follows: The Port Alberni Board of Trade

"That whereas the volume of over eas shipping; consisting chiefly of umber and fish products, from Port, Alberni, is rapidly on the increase, and aiready has reached large dimensions in spite of lack of any facilities

"And whereas Port Alberni is the high harbor on the West Coast of 30,04, 42; heavy swell."

# Seaman Met Death By Accident, Says Jury in Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Dec. 14.—A
verdict of accidental death
was returned by the coroner's
jury at the inquest today on the
body of Yves Marie Quesourec,
seaman on the French veneel Sa.
Indiana, who died Saturday foljeowing Injuries racelved when
he fell down the hold of the vensel while it was tied at Railantyne pier. Quesourec, with another seaman, was carrying
lumber being used for lining the
veissel for grain when he stumbled and fell down the hold.

Vancouver Island which has railway

connection:

"And whereas the number of export iumber mills and fish plants are increasing in the district served by the harbor of Port Alberni, construction of several new ones having been commenced within the past twelve months;

months;

"And whereas the West Coast of Vancouver Island contains the most valuable forest area in British Columbia, and has the greatest fishing banks on the Pacific Immediately adjacent to it;

Jacent to It;

"And whereas the proper and natural development of the lumber and
fishing industrias of the West Coat
of Vancouver Island is hindered by
the absence of proper shipping facilities for deep-sea ships;

ties for deep-sea ships:
"And whereas Port Alberni is centrally situated and would be capable of serving the shipping needs of the West Coast of Vancouver Island, if thad shipping facilities in the manner of a suitable assembly wharf, at which cargoes for foreign-bound ships could be collected, and ships loaded therefrom:

could be collected, and sent therefrom;

"Be it resolved that this Board of Trade do press upon the Dominion Government the urgent necessity for the Immediate construction of a suitable assembly wharf at Port Alberni." Copies of the resolution were sent to the Prime Minister at Ottawa, to the Hon. Dr. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works, and to Mr. A. W. Nelli, M. P.

### Large Timbers Are Shipped to Eastern Points From Island

Weather Report

# Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

Stuart Dollar, San Francisco; Griffco, Brillah Columbia.

TACOMA, Dec. 14.—Arrived: Barbara C., San Pedro. Salled: Colusa, Seattle: Santa Inex, Florida.

PORTLAND, Dec. 14.— Arrived: Eldorado. E. M. Myers, Liebra Frooklings, San Francisco; Admiral Fraragut, San Pedro; Routhwestern Miller, Beattle: Orgon, San Patriclo, Grangemouth; Taururchima Maru, Japan; Noorderdyk, Rotterdam, Sailed: Felix Tauseig, New York; West Cayote, Manila; Isie, Hambur; Castlemoor, Sydney; Point Judith, Mobile, via Puget Bound.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.— Arrived: Noyo, San Pedro: Arisona, Antwerp, Lena Luckenbach, Mobile, Liverpool; Shinyo Maru, Hong Kong, Martha Buchner, Astoria. Salled: Fo, Drum, Fortlenan Alexander, Admiral Duchner, Astoria. Salled: Fo, Drum, Fortlenan Alexander, Admiral Dewny, San Pedro.

Arrived YOKOHAMA, Dec. 11.—Seine Maru,

Portland.

ROTTERDAM, Dec. 10.—Loch Goll,
San Francisco.

MANILA, Dec. 10.—Emprese of
Canada, Valcouver.

MANILA, Dec. 13.—President Taft,
San Francisco. Saled Sailed HAMBURG, Dec. 9.—Juetin, San

Francisco.

YOKOHAMA, Dec. 11. — Siberla
Maru, San Francisco.

PORT EADS, Dec. 12.—Frankiin
K. Lane, San Pedro.

WIRELESS REPORT
Estevan, 8 P.M., Decamber 14.
Deroche, Martines for Ventura;
miles from Ventura.
Stuart Dollar, Seattle for San
ancisco; 400 miles from San Fran-

Silvant Dollar, Seattle for San Francisco.

Doylestown, bound for San Francisco; 344 miles from San Francisco.

Mina Brea, abeam Tatocah at Sp.m.; bound Vancouver, Canadian Freighter, Nov. 25, left Vancouver for U. K.

Canadian Highlander, Dec. 25, left Vancouver for U. K.

Canadian Highlander, Dec. 25, left Vancouver for Victoria.

Canadian Importer, Nov. 26, left Vancouver, Canadian Floneer, Dec. 11, atrived Canadian Flanter at Vancouver, Canadian Ranger, Dec. 19, atrived Avonmouth.

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Canadian Farmer, Dec. 10, arrived

Canadian Observer, Dec. 8, 1ef Ocean Falls for Astoria. Canadian Rover, Dec. 10, arrived San Francisco. Canadian Trooper at Vancouver.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

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TO Arrive

Africa Maru, from Yokohama,
Dec. 13.
Empress of Australia, from Yokohama,
Dec. 16.
Temperature of Australia, from Yokohama,
Dec. 18.
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Dec. 18.
Arisona Maru, from Yokohama,
Dec. 21.
Toyama Maru, from Yokohama,
Dec. 20.
Arab' Maru, from Yokohama,
Dec. 30.
President Jackson, from Yokohama,
Jan. 4.
Aorangi, from Australia, Jan. 2.
President McKinley. from Yokohama,
Jan. 11.
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Empress of Asia, from Yokohama,
Jan. 25.
To Fail
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President Madison, for Yokohama, Dec. 29. Kaga Maru, for Yokohama, Dec

Arlsona Maru, for Tokohama, Jan. 7. President Jackson, for Yokohama, Jan. 10. Aorangi, for Australia, Jan. 13.

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# Sensational Raid Made on Hornby Island

Liquor, Still and Motorboat Seized by Provincial Police —Three Raids Made in Nanaimo

### Narcotic Drugs Are Also Found

Are Also Found

(Special to The Colonist)

UNION BAY, Dec. 14.—A sensetional raid was made vesterday by
Provincial police officers and Mr.
George Norria, of the Victoria Customs preventive service, on Hornby
Island, resulting in the seising of a
vafuable still and a large quantity of
flauor, while Provincial police made
three raids in different parts of
Nanaimo, gathering in large quantitles of bootleg liquor and a valuable
cache of opfum.

Ostensibly running a ranch on
Hornby Island, a Chinaman named
Ah Tick, it is stated, made beer and
liquor at his own distillery and
and the service of the service of the
Vancouver and other Mainland ports
by motophoat. The pollee and Mr.
Norria captured the Chinaman "red
handed," and took his motorboat,
liquor and still to Nanaimo.
The raids were actuated from the
bellef by the Provincial police that
a considerable quantity of liquor was
finding its way into Nanaimo illeraily,
and that if was thought the liquor
was homemade. All the places raidod yesterday were found to be operatod of chesse.
The call of the raid on
Hornby Island was the finding of a
complete still, twelve thirty-eix-gallon
barrels of bootleg ilquor, three tens
of rice, a quantity of mash and a
thirty-five-foot gasoline launch.
The Nanaimo raids resulted in the
selicing of \$800 worth of unsealed
ilquor and monshine, together with
opium and smoking paraphernalia.
Six Chinese, alleged inmates or keepers of the raided places, were placed
are to be summended as a result of the
discoveries. Those, arrested in the
case will be brought before Magistrate
Beevor Potts in Nanaimo this week.

### Shipping Information

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### **Pope Creates** Quartette of **New Cardinals**

Red Hats Conferred at Secret Consistory — Holy Year Success Gratified — New Italian Laws Deplored

Notable Ceremony

pointment of several archbishops and bishops. The Holy Father expressed satisfaction at the success of the celebration of Holy Year, but said the pitting of the holy Year, but said the pitting the pitting that have seen that the situation of the head of the Catholic Church was still far from what it should be. In fact, the pilgrims, in order to approach the Holy Father were obliged to enter the Vatican, which he could not leave as long as present conditions continued.

nditions continued. He acknowledged the efforts made the Italian authorities to contribute the success of Holy Year, notwithinding the many difficulties which inding the many difficulties which ecountry was encountering as evinced by the "criminal attempts ainst the Premier."

### Brewers' Deal With Att.-Gen. to Be Probed

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# Finance and Commerce

# Stocks Resume **Upward Swing**

Rails Lead Market Climb-Bear Selling Fails to Curb Movement-Bonds Advance

ment—Bonds Advance

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Heavy buying of the railway shares featured the
resumption of the upward movement
of prices in today's stock market.
Waves of profit-taking and bear selfing swept the market at intervais, but
offerings were generally well abaorbed.

Persistent accumulation of the
railroad shares apparently was based
on reports of large Southern earnings
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# Winnipeg Wheat On Down Grade

Bearish News From Liverpool and Argentina Results in Losses During Day

WINNIPEG. Dec. t4.—Sentiment continued mixed in the wheat Bit here today and, with weaker cables from Liverpool and Buenos Aires, the market was on the down grade, closing quotations ranging from 3 to 3% cents lower at \$1.51 % for December, \$1.52 for May and \$1.50 for July.

The weakest spot was recorded at the opening, when prices ware 2 cents to 5 cents below saturday's final figures.

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Although there was a fair class of buying at times, trade in wheat was not nearly as broad as it has been, and scattered liquidation was reported in the nearby futures. Export trade was quiet.

There was a light trade in the coarse grains and flax. Cash coarse grains were duil.

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Wheat-						
Dec			168	143	147	146b
May			188	188	180%	
July			140	131	148	180
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Dec			0 4376		4.8 %	4876
May			1 3 6	8.0	49.56	40%
July	200		89.96	20%	80 14	80 ha
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Wheat—1 nor., 148 %; 2 nor., 148 %; 3 nor., 148 %; 3 nor., 148 %; No. 4, 133, No. 6, 123; track, 148, 13 cw., 42 k., Onta—2 cw., 42 k.; 1 track, 43 k.; 1 freed, 25 %; 1 relected, 25 %; 1 freed, 22 %; 1 freed, 25 %; 1

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NEW YORK, Dec. 14—"Copper, quisit; electrolytic, spot and futures, 14 60 fs. flow, fs. flow

### Winnipeg Grain Letter

(Supplied by R. P. Clark 4, Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Dec. 14.—Wheat: The
market was a nervous, erratic affair
today, but prices at all times were
charply lower than the previous close.
Opening figures were from 2 to 5
from both Laverpool and Hannes
Aires, but the market recovered part
of the opening loss, there being some
good buying in evidence on the dip,
but on the futries there appeared
good selling and the extreme buigs;
were difficult to hold. Closing figlures were 3% to 2 cents down for the
day. Although there was a fair class
of buying and selling today, the market was ingrely a scalping affair with
trade volume smaller than it has been
for soms time. This is perhaps not
surprising. Navigation is now closed,
the holiday season is approaching and
export demand was not good. There
was a fair outside business, buying
Winnipeg futures and selling others.
Sentiment continues mixed. Argentine news indicated more favorable
weather now prevailing, but a government report is expected tomorround is anticipated to be builleb.
The Canadian visible was placed at

The Canadian visible was placed at 50,233,500 bushels, an increase of 2,225,000 from last week. On the other hand the United States visible wheat showed a decrease of 2,281,000 bushels.

wheat showed a decrease of 2,2\$1,000 bushels.

The cash market was more or less a car lot proposition, with shippers and desires adjusting themselves to a rail basis. There was no particular interest shown in cash wheat, while holders were showing no insulination to part with their supplies.

The market has a firm undertone and we are not looking for any drastic declines in the near future. Coarse Grains: These markets continued rather dull, sithough there was fair trade in oats and barley; oats closed about % cent lower. rye 2 to 1% c off, while barley was little changed.

Flax: Dull market: steady, with

### Chicago Grain

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MONEY MARKELS

LONDON, Dec. 14.—Money, 4%,
Discount rates: Short bills, 4%, %;
three-months' bills, 4%, 9 4 13-16%,

At New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Call money
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George H. MacDonaid Limited Advertising Agency, recently located in the Federai Building. Toronto, have moved to new and larger quarters in the Northern Ontario Building, where they occupy a suite of offices on the sixth floor.

SILVÉR MARKETS NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Har silve 69. Mexican doliars. 53. At London LONDON, Dec. 14.—Bar silve 31 % d per ounce. U.S. Ports Get Wheat

OTTAWA, Dec. 14—The great bulk of Canadian wheat which was ex-ported to Great Britain during the month of November went by United States ports. Of the 24,995,814 bushels, 13,610,104 bushels went via the United States and only 5,488,710 bushels via Canadian seaports.

tsupplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.) Forty bonds, 92.69, up .01. Twenty industrial stocks, 154.65, up

### **British Columbia** Cow Sets Record

New World's Mark Registered by Animal at Summerland Experimental Farm

OTTAWA, Dec. 14.—Exceeding OTTAWA, Dec. 14—Exceeding the former champion's record by seventeen pounds of butterfat, the senior yearling Jersey heifer, Fairleigh St. Mawsa Retta, owned and developed by the Dominion Experimental Station at Summerland, B.C., has Just established a new world's record for her breed and see. It was announced yesterdusy by the Central Experimental

yesterday by the Central Experimental Farm here. The record was made under the rules of the Canadian Record of Performance and the scotting is based on fat production.

Fairleigh St. Mawes Retta caived at the age of one year and 345 days. Her record is announced as 9,013 pounds of milk and 524 pounds of fat in 395 days, as compared with a record of 10,533 pounds of milk and 507 pounds of fat in a 395-day period by the former champion, Goiden Dad's Josephine II, owned by Sherman Nursery Company, Jows.

Dad's Josephine II, owned by 8 man Nursery Company, lows. The rules of the Canadlan Re of Performance require that freshen within 400 days of her vious date, which requirement will easily fulfil, it is said.

### Over 21,000 Canadians Return From the U.S. In Last Seven Months

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OTTAWA, Dec. 14.—A total of
\$4.739 Immigrants entered Cannda.
during the seven months of the fimance year ended October \$1 last, according to statistics of the Department of Immigration and Colonization. Of this total 27,339 were Britishe; 12,735 came from the United
Slates and 24,147 from other counrices. The British Immigration consisted of 14,508 English, 4,550 Irish,
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# TODAY'S RADIO Programme of Principal Western Broadcasting Stations

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FCT. Victoria. B.C. (329.5)—Silent night.
FT. Low. Angeles. Cal. (487)—5.30
p.m., L.A. Examiner matinee programme. 6 p.m., MacDaniella nightly doings and amusement information nervice. 6.15 p.m., Hewitt's Molorlogue Resort Service. 6.30-5 p.m., programme in honor of Packärd. Zone meeting, Multnomah Hotel, Portiand. 8 p.m., programme: Prackard bone meeting, Multnomah Hotel, Portiand. 8 p.m., programme presented by L. A. Examiner; Pantagas Theatre vaude-ville artists 9 pm., Marguerile Hioard. soprano; Prank Bievar, barilone, Marie Wehl, planist. 10 p.m., Packard ballad hour, featuring Billy Hall, Polly Grant Hall, the Ashley Sisters. Marion Boogar, Bud Jamison and others.

Ashley Blatera, Marion Boogar, Rud Jamilson and othera. 4GO, Oakland, Cal. (361)—4-5.30 p.m., concert orchestra, Hotel St. Francis, Ran Francisco, Vinton La Ferrera conducting, 6-7 p.m., din-per concert. 7 p.m., news items and final reading of weather and stock reports, and San Francisco produce news. 8 p.m., National Carbon Company programme. Antonio de Grassi, violinia; Bessie H. Woods, Falies Scott, Falies Falies Falies Falies Falies Falies Falies Falies Fa

from the listel R. Francis, San Francisco.

KiW, Fortland, Ore, (423)—4-7 p.m., dinner concert: 7:20-7-48 p.m., washer, market and police raports, news letters and sporting results (64; ppot 164; ppot 165; ppot 165;

ley's Cablrians playing at the Cabirla Cafe.

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2:30-3:20 p.m. mailnee proFramme. sponsored by the Pacille States Electric tompany 6-207:30 p.m. children's programme.
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Ottaws that any awards have
been mads to Canadino claimants
damages sustained during the Wo

PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, Man, Dec. 14—The Princesa Theatre, a monton picture house, and an adjoin-ing garage, were gutted by fire which broke out in the theatre Saturday night. The damaga is estimated at

# CHILDREN LIKE THEM PARTIOLATUM PARTICULATUM PAR to the Privy Council in the case of Naden vs. the King. against convictions for alleged offences under the Alberta Liquor Control Act, 1924, and the Canada Temperance Act of 1905 as amended, the judicial committee of the Privy Council today reserved judgment. The appeal was being transported through the province of Alberta Liquor Council C THE AT ALL DRUG STORES FREE and or ropy bane and ropy bane

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Special china plate, complete with spoon. Spence, Price, Marmalade Jars, silverplated each \$1.00

### Gift Suggestions From the Stationery Section For Christmas Shoppers

Waterman Fountain Pens of all kinds, with all styles of nibs. Ranging in price from \$2.50 to \$6.00

Fountain Pen Sets, a Waterman or Everythan Pens and the styles of a dainty and inexpensive gift. In plain white, a box ... 50¢ With gilt edges, a box ... 75¢ With Dainty Colored Linings, when the styles of the

The Chieftain Pen, at \$1.00 to \$1.00 The Autograph Pen with 14-carat nib, at \$1.50 to \$1.75

nibs. Ranging \$3.50 to \$6.00 Fountain Pen Sets, a Waterman or Eversharp Pen and Pencil in case; a very much valued gift. Ranging in price from \$4.50 to \$10.00 Shopping Lists, from \$2.00 Shopping Lists, from \$75¢ to \$10.00 from \$75¢ 

# MEN'S SWEATERS

The Quality and Style That Make Perfect Gifts

Men's All-Wool Cardigan Sweaters, Woods brand, made in tweed designs; shades partridge, pheasant and camel. They have three buttoned-down pockets, tailored to fit, have the new raglan shoulder and light rib cuff. Special, each, \$6.50 Monarch Brand Pure Wool Fancy Stitch Cardigan Sweaters, with V neck and two pockets: two and three-tone shades, and various sizes. About two dozen to clear at, each

Pure Wool, Pride of the West Brand
Knit Sweaters: single neck collar;
navy blue; all sizes. Special,
each \$4.75

Garters A Christmas Gift Special 75c a Pair

Men's Silk-Web

Men's Fine Silk Wide Web Garters, put up in gilt cov-ered boxes. They are patered boxes. They are pat-terned in small check, and make choice gifts. Special, 

Kum-a-Part Cuff Buttons 50c to \$2.00 a Pair

Kum-a-Part Cuff Buttons keep your cuffs secure and are easily taken out. You cannot lose them. Shown in a variety of patterns and a variety of patterns and grades. Great value, a pair 50¢ to \$2.00

### Fine Forsyth Brand Shirts Gifts of Quality for Men

Shirts of Lustrous Rayon Silk, guaranteed fast colors, double cuffs separate collar to match; pongee, blue and mauve

High-Grade English Broadcloth Shirts, Forsyth brand; fancy stripes and new shades, with double cuffs and separate collars to match. Each \$6.50

English Broadcloth Shirts, blue, white and cream, with separate collars to match; double soft cuffs; every shirt guaranteed. Each. \$2.95 English Broadcloth Shirts, with new detachable cuffs that are re-



### A Fancy Vest for a Man's Gift, \$5.50 and \$7.95

We have just received a shipment of Men's Fancy Vests, made of pure wool, patterned in grey and brown, checks and stripes, in fashionable tones. They have fancy pockets and trimmings. They are warm and stylish. All sizes Excellent values for \$5.50 and \$7.95